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1956 CATALOG VEGETABLE SEEDS FLOWER SEEDS RALPH W. STERLING PLANTS ROSES STERLING LANE PEAT MOSS CUTCHOGUE, LONG ISLAND, NEW YORK **FERTILIZERS** 

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Prize Winning Exhibit at Cutchogue Flower Show

Cutchogue, L. I. N. Y. February 4, 1956

To My Friends and Patrons:

Please accept this my 1956 catalog with my personal greetings and best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous Year.

Last year was quite disappointing in many ways between dry weather, low prices, a hurricane and a threat of two others not mentioning all the bugs and blights that attacked our farm and garden crops.

You can combat the insects and diseases with the proper insecticides and fungicides of which we have a good supply. We also have a good supply of all kinds of seeds and plants for your farm, garden, lawn and flower beds, and would be pleased to receive your orders, and assure you of our best attention to them when received. Of course we hope to see you at the farm when our seeds and plants are in season.

Our Strawberry Plants never were better and they are grown from Virus Free stock plants set in April 1955. We kept them cultivated and sprayed but of course can not guarantee they are 100% clear now. But how those Sparkles did yield last Spring and they were grown from Virus Free plants. Even our Robinsons are from Virus Free stock this year and we have a good supply to fill your orders.

If in need of Asparagus Roots from 25 to 2500 or more, we have them. even up to 4 year old in the Mary Washington and the California "500" in one and 2 year old.

The very best grade of grass seed is still high. Have made our price as reasonable as possible considering quality and the amount of permanent grass seed that we use in our Lawn Grass mixtures. A good lawn is only secured by using good seed, good fertilizer and good care. We have the right kinds of seed and fertilizer and would be pleased to supply your needs.

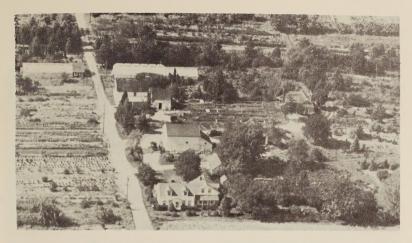
We specialize in a fine assortment of Rose Bushes, all potted and ready to grow and bloom. Many of the new J. & P. roses are in our assortment, priced very reasonable. Come early when we have a full line and you will not be disappointed.

Geraniums, Pansy Plants and Petunias for your flower beds and Cabbage, Lettuce and Tomato Plants for your garden. We also have in quantity and choicest varieties, many other kinds of Vegetable and Flower Plants.

So for best results buy at Sterlings on Sterling Lane.

Yours for the best in Seeds and Plants.

Rolph W. Sterling



Bird's-eye View of Sterling Seed and Plant Farm

#### **DIRECTIONS**

By careful reading and observing the following directions, mistakes will be largely avoided and your order can be filled more promptly.

Please use the enclosed Order Sheet and self-addressed envelope if possible. If you need more, let me know and I will be glad to send more to you.

Write your name, address and shipping directions plainly.

Always send the cash with your order, unless otherwise agreed upon. Money may be sent by P. O. Money Order, Bank Draft or Registered Letter. Stamps may be sent for amounts under \$1.00, but be sure to put in three-cent stamps, wrapped in waxed paper.

We pay the postage on all seeds sold by the pkt., oz. and ¼lb. Quantities over that are priced net, to be shipped Parcel Post, freight or express, at purchaser's expense, unless otherwise stated.

If you desire your seed sent by Parcel Post, add 23c for the first lb. and 4c for each additional lb. of your order, allowing 3 lbs. extra for package. For amount of postage on plants see Plant Department. These rates are for anywhere on Long Island.

By pricing my seeds net, postage extra, you get your seeds delivered for less money than if I quoted a Postpaid price as the 23c per lb. extra would have to be counted in and added to each single lb. priced.

1/2 lbs. will be sold at lb. rates; 1/2 bu. at bushel rates.

No charge is made for packing or packages.

NOTE — In all orders received before April 15th we include trial packets of different kinds of seed, the number of packets depending upon the size of your order. If you find any of these of particular value, we would be pleased to hear of it.

If you cannot use this catalog or receive more than one, will you kindly pass it on to someone interested? Thank you.

NOTICE — I give no warranty, express or implied, as to the productiveness of any seeds, bulbs or plants, sold by me, and I will not be in any way responsible for the crop. My liability in all instances is limited to the purchase price.

Ralph W. Sterling

## Seed Department

#### "STERLING STRAIN"

Follow the mark of "Sterling." We are always looking for the best strains of seed and where we find a superior one we place the sign of "Sterling" on it, thus (S).



#### **ASPARAGUS SEED**

- I. MARY WASHINGTON (S). Re-selected. Blight resistant. Highest quality and heaviest yield. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz.. 25c; ¼ lb.. 75c; 1 lb., \$2.50.
- 2. CALIFORNIA 500. New, giant stalks. Early. Pkt. 25c; oz. 80c; 1/4 lb. \$2.50.

Asparagus Roots See Page 41

#### **BUSH BEANS — GREEN POD**

2 lbs. make 1 qt. 1 lb. will plant 100 feet of drill.

1 bu. will plant 1 acre in hills.

i bu. will plain i acre in	111115.		Pk. of	Bu. of		
No. 10 LANDRETH'S STRINGLESS GREEN POD.	Pkt.	Lb.	15 Lbs.	60 Lbs.		
(S) Round pods. Best for table use	\$.15	\$.40	\$4.50	\$16.00		
Round pods, prolific, stringless	.15	.40 .40	5.00 4.50	18.00 16.50		
19 BLACK VALÈNTINE. Round pods, for market. Stringless. Wonderful yield.	.15	.40	4.50	17.00		
26 DWARF HORTICULTURAL or CRAN- BERRY. Long podded strain. Highly						
colored pods. Very prolific	.15	.40	5.50	21.00		
highly colored strain	.15	.45	6.50	23.50		
One of the best for market	.15	.40 .40	4.50	16.50		
28 RED KIDNEY. Very rich. For baking	.15	.50 .40				
21 TOPCROP. Very best for freezing	.15	.50	5.00	18.50		
ning and Market. Very prolific	.15	.40	5.00	17.50		
BUSH BEANS — WA	X PC	DD				
No.	Pkt.	Lb.	Pk. of 15 Lbs.	Bu. of		
33 BRITTLE WAX. Quality. Stringless	\$.15	\$.50	\$6.50	60 Lbs.		
41 RUST PROOF GOLDEN WAX. Flat pods, tender, stringless. Early	.15	.50	6.50			
One of the best for market. Long,	.15	40	r 00	17.50		
straight pods. Prolific		.40	5.00	17.50		
Crop. Straight pods. Prolific	.15	.40	5.00	17.50		
POLE BEANS  I lb. will plant 100 poles						
No. 71 KENTUCKY WONDER or OLD HOMESTI		(2)	Pkt.	Lb.		
Green pods. Extra quality, tender and fir	ne	(5). LO	\$.15	\$.50		



Tendergreen Beans

#### **BUSH LIMA BEANS**

1 lb. will plant 100 ft. in hills or 50 ft. in drill. 11/2 bu. to the acre.

			Pk. of	Bu. of
No.	Pkt.	Lb.	15 Lbs.	60 Lbs.
61 FORDHOOK BUSH LIMA. (S) Our reg- ular Strain. Best for table and market. Very large pods. This strain sells for highest prices and yields very heavily. Depend on this strain for your main crop in field and garden	\$.15	\$.40	\$5.00	\$18.00
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63 BURPEE IMPROVED. Large, flat pods. Fine quality for home use	.15	.45		
68 BABY FORDHOOK. Early, fine quality	.15	.45		
SPERGON. A very satisfactory treatment for Lin	na Bean	s. Use 2	oz. to the	bushel.
ISOTOX 25 seed treater (F). For maggot cont	rol.			
POLE LIMA BEA	ANS			
I lb. will plant 50 p	oles			
No.	,0,03		Pkt.	Lb.
96 EARLY LEVIATHAN. Extra early. Prolific	***************************************		\$.15	\$:50
98 GIANT PODDED. Large pods. Prolific. Fine				.50

Cutchoque L. I. July 8th.

I sold \$15.00 worth from them. — J. S.

Glen Head, Sept. 18,

The Sterling Strain Fordhook Bush Limas and the Golden Cross Bantam Sweet Corn

both produced prolifically.

The sample of Contender Beans gave us a very generous crop and we prefer it to Tendergreen which had previously been a favorite.

Samples of Watermelon and Cantaloupe also did well. — J. L. D.

I had two short rows in my garden of your Sure Crop Wax Beans. I never saw anything like the yield and the fine long pods.



Early Green Italian Broccoli

#### **FAVA BEANS**

1 b	u. w	rill r	olant I	acre.	Use	plant	setter	tor	planting
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No.	Pkt.	Lb.	121/2 Lbs.	50 Lbs.		
70 AQUEDULCE LONG POD. An extra Giant Podded strain. Imported seed	\$.15	\$.50	\$5.00	\$16.50		
72 MAMMOTH LONG POD. A long pod- ded strain that sometimes does better than Aquedulce.	.15	.50	5.00	16.00		
BEETS — TABI	LE					
I oz. will sow 50 feet of drill. I lb. w		0 to 10	00 rods.			
No.	Pkt.	oz	. ¼Lb.	Lb.		
119 EARLY WONDER. (S) Earliest, fine quality, dark red. Best for home use	\$.10	\$.20	\$.50	\$1.75		
118 DARK RED EGYPTIAN. Extra dark	.10	.20	•	1.75		
126 PERFECTED DETROIT DARK RED (S).  Early, round beet of fine quality	.10	.2	0 .50	1.75		
120 WINTERKEEPER. Large, Long, Dark Red Extra fine quality	.10	.2	0 .50	1.75		
BEETS — STOCK						
No.		OZ	. ¼Lb.	Lb.		
141 GOLDEN TANKARD. Large, solid, yellow		\$.15	5 \$.40	\$1.20		
142 MAMMOTH PRIZE LONG RED (S). L		1.1	40	1.20		
heaviest cropping mangel of all		.13	5 .40	1.20		

#### BROCCOLI Hot Water Treated

.40

1.20

No.

152 ITALIAN GREEN or CALABRESE. An extra early large headed strain. Best for market. Per. pkt., 20c; per. Oz., \$.80; per 1/4 Lb. \$2.50

#### **BRUSSELS SPROUTS**

#### Hot Water Treated.

3 oz. produces plants for I acre

160 BLUE RIBBON STRAIN. This seed is grown from stock selected by experts. The very best strain for Long Island and the Catskill section. We have a very good supply for 1956. Crop of 1954, 2 year old seed.

Per pkt., 25c; per oz. \$2.00; 4 oz. for \$7.50; per lb. \$28.00

161 RED FEATHER STRAIN. A new strain developed locally. Hard shiny green sprouts very prolific. Per oz. \$2.50; per 1/4 lb. \$9.00. 2 year old seed.

#### CABBAGE SEED

I Pkt. will produce 500 plants. I oz. will produce from 2 to 3 thousand plants. 14 Lb. of All Kinds 90c except where noted.

No.	Pkt.	Oz.
181 GOLDEN ACRE. Earliest, round heads	\$.10	\$.30
168 EXTRA EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD. Pointed heads	.10	.30
169 CHARLESTON WAKEFIELD. Large pointed heads	.10	.30
170 COPENHAGEN MARKET. Early, round heads	.10	.30
190 ALL SEASON. Large, flat heads. Fine	.10	.30
194 PREMIUM FLAT DUTCH. Large, late. Solid	.10	.30
199 LARGE LATE DRUMHEAD. Standard late	.10	.30
193 PENN STATE BALL HEAD. Hard headed strain of Danish		
Ballhead. Fine quality, best for late. ¼ lb. \$1.00	.10	.30
209 SAVOY. Crinkled. Quality. Large, flat heads	.10	.30
196 EARLY RED ACRE. Sure heading solid heads. ¼ lb. \$1.00	.10	.30
212 CHIHILI Chinese. Long slender heads. Sow in July	10	.25
My Cabbage Seed is treated with Semesan to control Bl	ack Leg	and

Black Stem.

#### CARROT SEED

I oz. will sow 200 ft. of drill

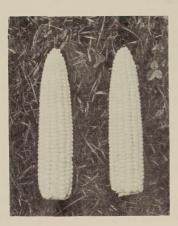
2 Lbs. to the acre				
No.	Pkt.	oz.	¼Lb.	Lb.
228 IMPERATOR. Ideal for Market and your Garden. 8 inches long. Deep orange	\$.10	\$.20	\$.75	\$2.50
232 TENDERSWEET. (S) Fine for family use.			7.5	0.50
Eight inches long, coreless, sweet	.10	.20	./5	2.50
230 DANVER'S HALF LONG. Red Cored	.10	.20	.75	2.50
236 CHANTENAY HALF LONG. Heavy		00	7.5	0.50
yielding and fine quality. 5 in. long	.10	.20	./5	2.50
235 NANTES. (S) Early. Fine for home use. 6 in.	.10	.20	.75	2.50

Arkville, N. Y., January 10, 1956

I want to place an order for 6 oz. of Red Feather Sprout Seeds. We had a good crop of very nice sprouts last year. - J. A.

#### CORN - SWEET

I Lb. will plant 100-200 hills



Golden Cross Bantam

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No.	Pkt.	Lb.	
309 G O L D E N BANTAM. (S) Extra prolific. Sweet The original	<b>*</b> 10	¢ 40	\$4.00
flavor	\$.10	\$.40	<b>\$4.00</b>
late crop 317 STOWELL'S EVERGREEN Standard late. Large	.10	.40	4.00
	.10 the 12		

#### HYBRID SWEET CORN

We have six of the best Hybrid or Top Cross var	rieties		
THE HAVE SIX OF THE BEST TTYBITA OF TOP CTOSS VAI	1101103		10
301 SPANCROSS. 70 days. The Earliest Good Quality	Pkt.	Lb.	Lbs.
Hybrid. Golden yellow. Sweet. Short stalks	.15	.55	5.00
300 GOLDEN BEAUTY, ALL AMERICAN WINNER. (S)  A new early hybrid of wonderful flavor. Our test			
showed it had large size and fine flavor, really the			
best for an extra early tor garden or market	.15	.55	5.00
305 GOLDEN CROSS BANTAM. (S) 88 days. Quality unsurpassed. Resistant to Stewarts Disease. Heavy			F 00
yielding. Very sweet	.15	.55	5.00
323 IOANA. 92 days. Best tor late. Prolific, sweet. Good sized ears. 8 in. long	.15	.55	5.00
303 LINCOLN. 86 days Mid-season. Large. Early. Good for freezing. One of the best quality hybrids	.15	.55	5.00
304 GOLDEN MIDGET. 70 days A new Hybrid. Small ears. Very sweet and prolific	.15	.70	
5 lbs. at the 10 lb. rate			

### CORN — FIELD, POP AND FODDER

I peck of Field Corn will plant I acre in hills 4 ft. x 4 ft.
I bushel of Fodder Corn will plant I acre in drill.

No.
321 CORNELL No. 11. The earliest Dent Corn. Large ears. Very prolific.
Per Lb., 25c; 10 Lbs., \$2.00; bu. of 56 Lbs., \$7.50

353 GIANT YELLOW POPCORN. Largest and best. Buy a Lb. for popping.
Per pkt., 10c; per lb., 45c
318 SWEET CORN FOR FODDER. 10 Lbs. @ 29c; 100 Lbs. @ 27c



A Field of Sterling's Holland Erfurt Cauliflower

#### **CAULIFLOWER SEED**

Hot Water Treated.

2 to 3 Oz. will produce enough plants for I acre

No.

248 LARGE EARLY HOLLAND ERFURT. (S) Large white heads, heading up quite freely. One of the best strains for this section. Good for early to late. Sells for highest prices. Per pkt., 25c; I oz., \$2.50; 1/4 lb., \$9.00; per lb., \$32.00.

#### **CELERY SEED**

No.		Pkt.	Oz.
266 WHITE PLUME. Earliest, s	self blanching	\$.15	\$.80
272 FORDHOOK. (S) Dwarf, cri	sp. Special strain.	.15	1.00
260 GOLDEN PLUME. Fine qu	ality for Summer and Fall	.15	.80
283 SUMMER PASCAL. One of	of the best for Summer and Fall	.15	.80
282 GIANT PASCAL or UTAH.	Tall, crisp and nutty flavored. Late	.15	.80
275 WINTER QUEEN. Dwarf,	heavy stalk	.15	.80
293 CELERIAC. Giant smooth	Prague. Turnip rooted	.15	.80
VACID Language Constant of the con-			

Will have a fine lot of transplanted Celery Plants this year in season.

Mattituck, N. Y., Sept. 18
I wish to say that our small garden did wonderful this year from your seeds. It is our first experience with a garden and we had an abundance of everything including carrots. Our lawn was beautiful sown late this Spring with Sterling Sandy Soil mixture. The white clover is still thriving after this long dry spell. — V. S.

Quoque, L. I. July 12th.

We had the best garden this year that we ever had. Our peas were very prolific and of fine quality and our Great Lakes lettuce is outstanding. Heads large and solid. — S. A.



Marketer Cucumber

CUCUMBER SEED
will plant 100 hills. 2-5 Lbs. to the acre

	1 Oz. will plant 100 hills. 2-5 Lbs. to the acre		
No.	Pkt. Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.
387	A & C. ISI. Long, dark dreen, ob days 4.10	\$.70	\$2.20
377	BOSTON PICKLING, Small, 58 days10 .20	.70 .70	2.00
379	EARLY WHITE SPINE. 7 in. 55 days10 .20 MARKETER. Long season. Dark green,	,70	2.00
	65 days. Most popular for Market	.70	2.50
370	PLIPPEE HYRRID High in vield, quality	00.107	\$3.00
	and color. Disease resistant40 seeds .30c; ¼ oz. \$1.	00, 1 02.	ψ5.00
	EGG PLANT SEED		
No.		Pkt.	Oz.
420	BURPEE'S BLACK BEAUTY. Early productive	\$.15	\$.80
426	BURPEE HYBRID. New. Very prolific. Fall 30 seeds .40 Will have a fine lot of Egg Plants in season.	)C	
	ENDIVE	Pkt.	Oz.
No.		\$.10	\$.20
430	BATAVIAN BROAD LEAVED. Fine flavored	.10	.20
730	DATA TO LET THE MAN AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND A		
	KALE		
No	Plant in Spring or Fall Pkt.	Oz.	¼ Lb.
	DWARF GREEN CURLED. Best for greens \$.10	\$.20	\$.60
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	KOHL RABI		
No.	I Oz. will sow 200 ft.	Pkt.	Oz.
465	FARLY WHITE VIENNA. Fine quality. Cook when young	J	
100	Better than turnips	\$.10	\$.25
	LEEK		
No.		Pkt.	Oz.
	AMERICAN BROAD FLAG. Large, fine quality	\$.15	\$.40

#### MUSK MELON

· I Oz. will plant about 50 hills

No. 547 DELICIOUS, Fine flavor, Prolific, Early

546 BENDER'S SURPRISE. Large. Sweet, Productive.

570 HONEY ROCK. Also called Sugar Rock. Early. Fine quality

559 QUEEN OF COLORADO or PRIDE OF WISCONSIN (S). Best for quality.

581 IROQUOIS. Wilt resistant. Medium size. Sweet and prolific.

585 BURPEE HYBRID Disease resistant, Delicious flavor. Pkt. 40 seeds, 50c

Prices on above, except Burpee Hybrid,

Pkt., \$.10; Oz., \$.20; 1/4Lb., \$.70

LETTUCE					
! Oz. will plant 250 ft. of drill					
No.	Pkt.	Oz.	1/4Lb.		
847 IMPERIAL No. 847 (S) Early, solid heads. Blight					
resistant. Large. Fine quality	\$.10	\$.40	\$1.25		
475 BIG BOSTON. Large bright	.10	.20	.70		
524 ICEBERG.Good quality. Crisp. Resists hot weather.	.10	.20	.70		
456 IMPERIAL No. 456. Latest introduction of Iceberg					
type. Fine for Summer and Fall planting	.10	.40	1.40		
499 GREAT LAKES. Best for summer heading. Fine quality and of good sized solid heads	.10	.40	1.50		
122 NEW YORK No. 12. Large heads. Called Iceberg	.10	.10	1.50		
by California growers. Fine quality	.10	.30	1.10		
515 NEW YORK No. 515. Late. No Tipburn	.10	.30	1.10		
493 BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON. Early, Nicely curled,					
loose leaves. For the table and for chickens	.10	.20	.70		
484 MIGNONETTE. Bronze leaves. Small. Early, sweet	.10	.30	1.10		
539 COS or ROMAINE. Dark Green. Self closing	.10	.20	.70		
472 SALAD BOWL. New loose leaf. Quality	.10	.40			
473 BIBB. Small heads. Early, crisp, Excellent quality.	.10	.40			
425 OAK LEAF. Fine quality. Does well in hot		40			
weather and in fall.	.10	.40			
ONION SEED					
I Oz. will plant 200 feet					
No.	Pkt.	Oz.	1/4 Lb.		
683 SOUTHPORT YELLOW GLOBE. Fine. mild	\$.15	\$.40	\$1.20		
675 EBENEZER YELLOW. (S) Best Keeper	.15	.40	1.20		
686 RED WETHERSFIELD. Largest red	.15	.40	1.50		
699 WHITE PORTUGAL or WHITE SILVERSKIN.		40	1.40		
Flat, large, mild. Best for pickles and bunching	.15	.40	1.40		
687 SWEET SPANISH. Utah Strain, Large and mild.	.15	.40	1.40		
ONION SETS					
Small, hard, fancy sets. 1 Lb. makes a quart. 32 Lbs.	. to the	bushel.			
No.		Lb.	8 Lbs.		
700 WHITE SILVER SKIN. Fancy. Good for bunching		\$.30	\$2.00		
702 EBENEZER YELLOW. (S) Grows better and keeps long	ger	20	2.00		
than any other sort	7 D	.30	2.00		
Spray your onions with Black Leaf 40 or dust with 3-7 Dust and insure your					

crop. It is the Thrip that turns the onion tops brown.

#### **OKRA**

No.
667 PERFECTED MAMMOTH PERKINS. Long podded \$.05 \$.15 \$.40

#### **PEAS**



The New Cody Pea

OUR WORLD'S RECORD STRAIN and the new CODY are the best kinds for market. Even though peas should not pay as a market crop, the vines make fine green manure for Cauliflower, Brussels Sprouts and late Limas Spergon keeps the seed from rotting in cold ground and helps germination.

Isotox 25 Seed Treater (F) Protects the seed from Maggots

I Lb. of Peas will plant 100 ft. of row

 $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 Bu. to the acre  $\frac{1}{2}$  peck at peck rates;

1/2 bu. at bu. rates

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No.	Pkt.	Lb.	14 Lbs.	56 Lbs
742 FREEZONIAN. Early, Gradus type. Developed for quick freezing. 21/2 ft	\$.10	\$.40	\$4.00	\$14.00
745 CODY (S) A new Extra Early Variety Large pods prolific. Fine quality. 2ft	.10	.40	4.50	15.00
743 WORLD'S RECORD. One of the best kinds for market. Extra early. Large pods. 21/2 ft. Fine quality. Prolific	.10	.40	4.00	14.00
741 LAXTON'S PROGRESS. Long pods, 2nd early. Good for market and garden. Fine quality. 15 in.	.10	.40	4.00	14.00
753 LITTLE MARVEL. Sweet, prolific, 15 in., second early	.10	.40	4.50	15.00
783 WYOMING WONDER. Best large pod- ded variety. Dwarf, midseason	.10	.40	4.50	15.00
786 TELEPHONE. (S) Dark green. Best tall late. Large podded strain, 5 ft.	.10	.40	4.50	16.00
793 CARTER'S DAISY or DWARF TELE- PHONE. Late. Large pods. 2ft	.10	.40	4.50	16.00

Manorville, N. Y., February 12, 1955

Your vegetable seeds have given me wonderful satisfaction regardless of weather conditions and it gives me pleasure to recommend them to my neighbors and friends.

— H. L. E.

Manorville, N. Y., April 1, 1955

Your sample pkt. of Watermelon, New Hampshire Midget, did wonderful for me. They were a lovely flavor and just the right size for two. — M. P.

#### **PARSLEY**

I Oz. will sow 200 feet

No. 717 EXTRA CURLED DWARF or EMERALD 714 PLAIN or SINGLE. Fine for soup 723 HAMBURG. Turnip rooted	Pkt. \$.10 .10	Oz. \$.20 .20 .20	1/4 Lb. \$.60 .60	
PARSNIP I Oz. will sow 150 feet				
No. 728 HOLLOW CROWN. (S) Long smooth	Pkt. \$.10	Oz. \$.15	1/4 Lb. \$.50	
PEPPERS				
No. 815 CALIFORNIA WONDER. (S) Large, sweet, early 817 CHINESE GIANT. (S) Largest of all, mild		.10	Oz. \$ ,80 1.00 .80	
PUMPKIN				
I Oz. will plant 25 hills				
No.  862 EARLY SUGAR. (S) Fine for pies. Deep yellow  866 LARGE CHEESE. Flattened, light yellow	Pkt. \$.10 .10	Oz. .20 .20 .20	.60 .60 .60	
RADISH				
I Oz. will sow 50 feet of drill				
No. Pkt.	oz.	¼Lb.	Lb.	
890 SAXA. (S) Crisp. Extra early. Red	\$.20	\$.60	\$1.50	
TIPPED. Fine for bunching, Crisp	.20	.60	1.50	
907 FRENCH BREAKFAST. Ólive shaped, mild	.20	.60	1.50	
910 CRIMSON GIANT GLOBE. Does not get pithy. Very sweet and fine flavored	.20	.60	1.50	
891 SCARLET GLOBE, (S) Select, Early, crisp .10	.20	.60	1.50	
938 WHITE ICICLE. Crisp, tender. Best long .10	.20	.60	1.50	
971 LONG BLACK SPANISH. For Fall	.20	.60	1.50	
SALSIFY OR VEGETABLE OYSTER				
No. 983 MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND.	Pkt. \$.15	Oz. \$.50	1/4 Lb. \$1.90	

West Granby, Conn., Feb.
It doesn't seem quite like late Winter — almost Spring — this year without your catalog. I enjoy this contact with Cutchogue, and we like to order most of our seeds from you because they always do so well.

Mrs. J. H. C.

#### SORREL

SORREL				
No. ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** **			Pkt.	Oz.
950 LARGE LEAVED. Sour grass for greens			\$.15	\$.50
SPINACH				
1 Oz. will sow 50 feet of	drill			
No. 20	Pkt.	oz.	¼Lb.	Lb.
998 KING OF DENMARK. (S) Stands a long			<b>A</b> 40	<b>#1.00</b>
time before going to seed	\$.10	\$.15	\$.40	\$1.00
999 SAVOY LONG STANDING. Savoy leaved. Good for Fall planting	.10	.15	.40	1.00
988 NEW ZEALAND. Hot weather Spinach.				
Spreading. Use the tips or new shoots.			4.0	. 00
Good till Fall	.10	.15	.40	1.00
Large crumpled leaves. Fine for Fall	.10	.15	4.440.	1.00
986 NOBLE GIANT. (S) Thick leaf. Largest	.10	.15	.40	1.00
SWISS CHARD OR SILV	ER BEI	ET		
Swiss Chard is one of the best greens there			e leaves	and it
will grow out again and again. One Oz. will sow	50 feet	of drill.		
No.	Pkt.	oz.	¼Lb.	Lb.
136 LARGE RIBBED WHITE. Smooth leaves.	<b>*</b> 10	* 00	# F0	¢1 FA
Serve stems like asparagus	\$.10	\$.20	\$.50	\$1.50
138 FORDHOOK GIANT. (S) Large, fine quality. Heavily crumpled	.10	.20	.50	1.50
137 LUCULLUS. Crumpled leaves. Large	.10	.20	.50	1.50
153 RHUBARB. New Red Chard. Fine	.10	.20	.50	1.50
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SQUASH				
I Oz. will plant from 25 to	50 hills			
No.	Pkt.	oz.	¼Lb.	Lb.
1014 BUTTERNUT. (S) Extra quality. Golden	, ,,,	02.	_~.	
skin and flesh. Early. Makes good pies	\$.10	\$.20	\$.65	\$2.25
1017 BUTTERCUP. Turban shaped. Fine qual-	.10	.20	.65	2.50
ity. Green skinned. Gold fleshed	.10	.20	.03	2.50
NECK. (S) Extra early, tender, sweet	.10	.20	.60	2.00
1016 GIANT GOLDEN CROOKNECK, Large	10	20	10	2.00
Use when young and tender	.10	.20 .20	.60 .60	2.00
1020 COCOZELLE BOSH. Long, dark green	.10	.20	.00	2.00
	E	ast Ham	pton, L. I	., March
the second secon	DAN CA	uld agt a	ands non	rer home

Have been getting our seeds from you for many years. Could get seeds nearer home but have always found yours very reliable and satisfactory.

The lawn I sowed May 5th came up fine and I have a beautiful lawn now. I used your Sterling Special Mixture.

#### SQUASH — Continued

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No.		Pkt.	oz.	¼Lb.	Lb.
1031	LONG, WHITE, or VEGETABLE MAR-ROW. Very productive. Bush	\$.10	\$.20	\$.60	\$2.00
1011	ACORN or TABLE QUEEN. Fine quality	.10	.20	.60	2.00
1036	BOSTON MARROW. Golden skin. Quality. Makes wonderful pies. Plant late	.10	.20	.60	2.00
1012	ZUCCHINI BUSH. Very dark green.	.10	.20	.60	2.00
1038	GOLDEN HUBBARD. Large. Quality. Best for Winter storage	.10	.20	.70	2.50
1022	BLUE HUBBARD. One of the best for		.20	./0	2.50
	pies. Golden flesh. Fine quality	.10	.20	.70	2.50
1021	HUBBARD IMP. Green	.10	.20	.70	2.50

#### **HERBS**

No.

- 1330 CHIVES. Fine for seasoning and as an ornamental perennial.
- 1331 CATNIP. Perennial. For seasoning and your cat.
- 1332 DILL. Mammoth. For pickles, soup and sauce. Per Oz., 30c.
- 1333 SAGE. Perennial. For seasoning. Use the leaves.
- 1335 SUMMER SAVORY. Annual. Flavoring.
- 1336 SWEET BASIL. Use leaves and buds.
- 1334 FLORENCE FENNELL. The garden favorite.
- 1338 THYME. Very ornamental. Good for seasoning.
- 1337 LAVENDER. Aromatic. Half hardy.

All of the above, 10c per pkt.

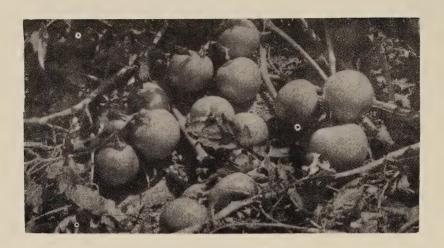
#### WATER MELON

I Oz. will plant about 25 hills

No.	**************************************	Pkt.	07.	¼Lb.	Lb.
625	WONDERMELON. (S) Improved Kleckley Sweet. Fine quality, large, prolific				LO.
	Sweet. Fine quality, large, prolific	.10	.15	.50	1.80
615	DIXIE QUEEN. Large, round. Quality	-10	.20	.60	2.25
610	ICE CREAM. Long, sweet	.10	.15	.50	1.90
611	TOM WATSON. Large, long, deep green	.10	.15	.50	1.80
613	GOLDEN HONEY. The best yellow melon	.10	.20	.60	2.25
645	NEW HAMPSHIRE MIDGET. The best				
	"ice-box" melon. Small and sweet	.10	.30	00.1	

Mattituck, N. Y., March 25, 1955

I was wondering how many years you have been at this place. This makes the 22nd Spring that I have been down here for my garden seeds and hope I will be coming down many more. — S. W.



#### **Burpee Hybrid Tomatoes**

#### TOMATO SEED

#### My Tomato Seed comes from Tomato Specialists

I Oz. will produce 2,000 plants or more

Most of Our Seed is Certified

No.

- 1131 BURPEE BIG BOY. Hybrid. Extra large. smooth, meaty. High quality. 30 seeds for 45c.
- 1132 BURPEE HYBRID. The most prolific of all. Bright scarlet. Large, fine quality. 30 seeds for 30c.
- 1133 BURPEE'S BIG EARLY. New extra early with true hybrid vigor, yield, flavor and large size. Pkt. 30 seeds, 60c.
- IIII STOKESCROSS. No. 4. A new hybrid F 2. Early, medium sized. Fine flavored and very prolific. Per pkt., 25c; 1/8 oz., \$1.00; 1 oz., \$5.00
- III2 STOKESCROSS. No. 5. A week later than No. 4 but wonderful in vigor and yield. If you want a crop of uniform, solid tomatoes, without cracks try this variety. Per pkt., 25c; 1/8 oz., \$1.00; I oz., \$5.00.

1126 BREAK O'DAY. Earliest. Wilt resistant	Pkt. \$.10	oz. \$.50	¼Lb.	Lb.
1120 BONNY BEST. Certified. Early. Productive. Fine, globe shaped	.10	.50	1.75	\$5.60
1110 JUBILEE. Best yellow. Globe shaped	.10	1.00		
1116 PONDEROSA. Largest of all. Quality	.10	.90	2.50	
1070 MARGLOBE. (S) Certified. Wilt resistant. One of the best for main crop	.10	.50	1.75	6.60

Mattituck, October 1

Out of 72 Burpee Hybrid and 12 Break O'Day Tomato plants that I purchased of you last Spring, I have sold \$125.00 of fruit besides canning, eating and giving away. — R. B. T.

#### TOMATOES - Continued

No.	Pkt.	oz.	¼Lb.	Lb.
1197 STOKESDALE. Certified. Early. Pro-	\$.10	\$.60	\$2.00	
1073 RUTGER'S GLOBE. Certified. Fine quality. For garden or market. Prolific Will have a fine lot of plants from the above other kinds in season. Would appreciate your early the thousand.	.10 ve strains arly orde	.50 s of sec rs if yo	1.75 ed and ou want	5.90 several plants

#### TURNIP AND RUTA BAGA SEED

No. 1163 PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE	Pkt. \$.05		%Lb. \$.50	
1183 YELLOW GLOBE.	.05	.15	.50	1.50
1191 LONG ISLAND PURPLE TOP YELLOW RUTA BAGA. Standard for Winter	.05	.15	.50	1.50

#### GRASS, CLOVER AND ALFALFA SEED

Prices liable to change without notice. Kentucky Blue Grass and Fancy Red Top of highest quality are still high in price. We are making our prices as reasonable as possible considering quality. It is the very last fraction of 1% in purity that costs money. I believe that it pays big returns, too, as it is truer in seeds than anything else that "the best is none to good."

If your land is sour and Grass and Clover does not do well as a rule, a little lime sown on top of the ground and harrowed in before sowing the seed would be a great help. Why not have your soil tested?

Special price on 100 Lb. lots. \$1.00 per 100 lbs. less than prices quoted in catolog

	1 Lb. to 99 Lbs.
TD 40TD V TI 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	per Lb.
TIMOTHY. The brightest and purest seed on the market. 99.65% pure.	\$.26
RED CLOVER. Very best grade. 99% pure	.65
ALSIKE CLOVER. Does well where Red Clover sometimes fails. Best	
grade. 99% pure. Mix Alsike and Red Clover for best results	
ALFALFA. Northern grown. Very best strain for this section. 99% pure	
CRIMSON CLOVER. Sow in July and August for cover crop	
WHITE CLOVER. Fine for lawn and pasture. Purity 98%	1.10
HIGHLAND BENT. Best Native Bent. Finest quality. Grows well in acid	
soil. One of the best for lawns. 98% pure	
CHEWINGS FESCUE. Fine for pastures, lawns and sandy soil	
ILLAHEE CREEPING RED FESCUE. Greener and finer than Chewings	
Fescue. Stands dry weather	.58
KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS. Does best on sweet soil. Fine for lawns,	
pastures and orchard. We still have a good supply of this very	
scarce seed. Superfine quality, 98% Pure	
RYE GRASS. Perennial or English. For a quick cover or lawn	.30
ROUGH BLUE GRASS. Poa Trivialis, Good for moist areas	.65
RED TOP. Fancy recleaned. Fine for lawns, new ground and pasture.	.00
Best grade. Purity 98%	.90
HUNGARIAN GRASS. Makes a quick crop of hay	.15
TIOTACTANTA OKTOSS, Wakes a quick crop of may	.13

GRASS SEED — Continued	1 Lb. to 99 Lbs.
	per Lb.
SUDAN GRASS. Good for pasture, green manure or a heavy crop of hay. Use 40 Lbs. per acre. 25 Lbs. or more at 17c	.18
STERLING PASTURE MIXTURE. 10 of the best kinds of Grass and Clover Seed, suitable for pasture. Contains no Orchard Grass	
Use 20 to 40 Lbs. to the acre. Best grade seed. 25 Lbs. or more at 64c per Lb.; 100 Lbs. or more at 63c per Lb.	.65
LEGUME-AID for inoculating ALFALFA, SWEET CLOVER, ALSIKE, and RED CLOVER. I Bu. size, per bottle	.60
LEGUME-AID for Vetches, Field Peas, etc. 2 Bu. size, per bottle	.60
We carry Wild White Clover, Merion Blue Grass and Zoysia Jap small quantities or can get it on order. Also, we can get you the th alfalfas if you want to try them out.	ree new



High Quality Seed Produces Fine Lawns

#### LAWN MAKING

Our Lawn Grass Seed is mixed from the very best grass seed, recleaned and free from weeds, and we sell many hundred pounds all over Long Island, as there is no better grade seed on the market.

there is no better grade seed on the market.

Loosen the soil in which a new lawn is to be made to a depth of at least five inches, and lighten it with humus, compost or manure if it is heavy and inclined to bake. Apply fertilizer liberally, either Sheep Manure, Bone Meal or both. Use Vigoro on established lawns in early Spring and early Fall. Peat Moss is a very good soil conditioner for lawns.

Sow in the early Spring when cool weather and ample rainfall will insure complete germination and a good start for the seedlings before hot dry weather comes. If seeding must be delayed, special precautions must be taken to prevent the ground drying out. Early Fall is a very desirable time to seed, if moisture is sufficient.

See that the seed is well covered. Rake it into a new seed bed and roll so that the soil is firmed over the seed. Where seed is sown on an old lawn, always cover it with a top dressing of Peat Moss or soil and rake in. Seed thrown on the top of hard ground has no chance to grow and will merely wash off. Fertilize well after seeding.

No Timothy or Rye Grass is ever used in our Lawn Grass Mixture.

#### LAWN GRASS SEED

#### Prices Liable to Change Without Notice

Four Special Mixtures of the highest grade Grass and Clover Seed on the Market.

No Cheap Filler is ever used in Our Mixtures.

Fertilize your lawns often to help keep out Crab Grass and Chickweed.

	I to 24		
	Lbs. per Lb.		
STERLING LAWN SEED. We prepare this mixture ourselves at Sterling Farm, from the highest grade Highland Bent, Kentucky Blue Grass, Fancy Red Top, White Clover and Illahee Red Fescue. This mixture gives the very best satisfaction throughout Long Island. Quick growing and	per Lo.	per	LU.
permanent. Use 3 to 5 Lbs. to 1,000 square feet 100 Lbs. or more at 98c	\$1.00	\$	.99
PARKWAY MIXTURE. This is my own mixture. It contains no White Clover, but a mixture of Highland Bent, Illahee Red Fescue, Kentucky Blue Grass and Fancy Red Top 100 Lbs. or more at .98c per Lb.	1.00		.99
SANDY SOIL LAWN SEED. A mixture doing well on light soil and in very dry places. This mixture contains 5 different kinds of grass seed and White Clover. Plenty of Fescue in this mixture	.90		.89
100 Lbs. or more at 88c per Lb. SHADY LAWN. Where there is only partial shade, the other Lawn Grasses are all right, but where it is quite shady, use this special mixture. Five varieties of grass seed in this mixture. Use Vigoro and Bone Meal in Spring and			
Fall to keep a good lawn in shade 100 Lbs. or more at 88c per Lb.	.90		.89
WHITE CLOVER. Best grade	1.10		
CHEWINGS FESCUE. Best for shade	.45		
KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS. Fine for lawns	1.00		
FANCY RED TOP. Quick growing. 98% pure	.90		
ROUGH BLUE GRASS. Poa Trivialis	.65		
ILLAHEE CREEPING RED FESCUE. Fine for lawns	.58		
HIGHLAND BENT. Finest quality		) to	120
Lbs. to the acre. For reseeding an old or poor catch, use half the			

#### VIGORO - THE COMPLETE PLANT FOOD



THE COMMEETE FEATURE TOOL	
I lb. bag	\$.15
5 lb. bag	.55
10 lb. bag	.95
25 lb. bag	1.70
50 lb. bag	·2.50
2-50 lb. bags	4.95
500 lbs. to 900 lbs. per 100 lbs	4.55
1,000 lbs. to 1,900 lbs. per bag	4.35
2,000 lbs. and over per bag	4.10

GOLDEN VIGORO. The kind that does not burn. Sow it on your lawn at any time. Long lasting, non-burning, a patented product. Per 50 lb. bag \$3.75





Field of Premier, Catskill and Sparkle, grown, from Virus Free Plants

## FARM AND FIELD SEED

#### SEED POTATOES

Use 10 to 12 bags to the acre. Prices are liable to change without notice.

We have a nice lot of Seed for Spring demand, Cobblers, Green Mountains and Katahdins. All certified seed.

	Pk.	Bu.
IRISH COBBLER. Maine grown. Certified. Early	\$1.00	\$3.00
GREEN MOUNTAIN. Maine grown. Certified. Late	1.00	3.00
KATAHDINS: Maine grown. Certified. Mid-season	1.00	3.00
Special prices on larger lots. Ask us about them.		

#### FIELD SEED

Prices liable to change without notice.

SEED OATS. Victory. A very heavy oat that yields wonderfully well. The best for this section. Use 2 to 4 Bu. to the acre. Pk. of 8 Lbs., \$.75. Bu. of 32 Lbs., \$2.75.

SEED OATS. A good, clean, heavy poultry oat. For pasture and green manure. Per Bu. of 32 Lbs., \$1.80; per 100 Lb. bag, \$5.00.

CANADA FIELD PEAS. For cover crop. Use I Bu. Peas and I Bu. Oats to the acre. 10 Lbs., \$1.50; Bu. of 60 Lbs., \$8.50; per 100 Lb. bag, \$12.90.

SUDAN GRASS. The best Grass for quick Pasture. Use 20 to 40 Lbs. with I Bu. of Oats on I acre of ground. Sow after ground warms up on good soil. For Hay, use 20 to 40 Lbs. to the acre broadcast. Per. Lb., 18c; 25 to 99 Lbs. at 17c; 100 Lbs. and over at 16c per Lb.

BUCKWHEAT. Does well on sour soil. Good for Summer cover crop and for bees. 10 Lbs., \$1.50; Bu. of 48 Lbs., \$5.50.

RAPE SEED. Dwarf Essex. Fine for Greens. Per 1/4 Lb., 20c; per Lb., 50c.



#### SHEEP MANURE

Fine for Lawns, Gardens and Flower Beds, Also the best thing to top-dress seed beds to insure a good crop of Cauliflower and Brussels Sprout plants. We use it on our own Plant Beds.

5 lb. bag       .4         10 lb. bag       .8         25 lb. bag       1.6         50 lb. bag       2.5         100 lbs. (2 50-lb. bags)       4.8	Т	his i	s pu	re and	free	from w	reed se	eds	5.	
10 lb. bag       .8         25 lb. bag       1.6         50 lb. bag       2.5         100 lbs. (2 50-lb. bags)       4.8         500 lbs. (10 bags)       22.0										.45
25 lb. bag	10	lb.	bag	***********			************			.85
100 lbs. (2 50-lb. bags)	25	lb.	bag	*********		**********	*************			~ 1.60
500 lbs. (10 bags)										
500 lbs. (10 bags)	100	lbs.	(2	50-lb.	bags)	**************				4.80
000 lbs (40 bags) Price on application	500	lbs.	(10	bags)						22.00
,000 lbs. (40 bags) Trice on application	,000	lbs.	(40	bags)			Price	on	appli	cation

#### DRY COW MANURE

Longhorn Brand Cattle Manure. Fine for your flower gardens, rose beds, and in setting trees, shrubs and evergreens. Price the same as Sheep Manure.

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#### **BONE MEAL**

Fine, steamed Bone. Use it for your bulbs. 5 b. bag ..... 10 lb, bag ..... 25 lb. bag ...... 50 lb. bag ..... 3.00 

 100 lb. bag
 5.25

 500 lbs. ( 5 bags)
 25.00

 2,000 lbs. (20 bags)
 Price on application

All above prices are net cash and liable to change without notice.

#### MAINE and MICHIGAN PEAT MOSS

Maine Peat Moss. Our Peat Moss direct form Maine is the best on the market. Packed in heavy paper bales. Fine for mulching trees, shrubs, perennials or mixing with soil to make it of good texture. Hold's moisture well. Best for Rhododendrons, Azaleas and Blueberries.

Horticultural Grade, per bale, \$4,50. 10 bales at 4.25 per bale.

Michigan Peat Moss. The finest quality peat. 100 Lb. bag, \$4.25; 50 Lb. bag, \$2.49; 25 Lb. bag, \$1.69; 1 pk., 98c; 1/2 pk., 65c.

#### **AGRINITE**

All-Organic Plant Food. 7% Nitrogen 25 lb. bag, \$1.65; 50 lb. bag, \$2.95; 80 lb. bag, \$4.45

#### LIME

Hydrated Lime is the most easily assimilated Lime there is. This is very fine for Lawns and Gardens. Also for seeding down grass, preparing a seed bed,

or your Caulinower field.	
10 lb. bag	\$ .40
50 lb. bag	1.00
	0.50
500 lbs. (10 bags),	9.50
2.000 II (40 I );	11 11
2,000 lbs. (40 bags) Price on ap	lication

#### V. C. CHEMICAL CORP. GARDEN FERTILIZER

The Virginia-Carolina Chemical Corporation is complying with all Government regulations. Our garden fertilizer consists of 5 per cent Nitrogen, 10 per cent Phosphoric Acid, 5 per cent Potash, and 2 per cent water soluble Magnesium.

125	lb. bac	5-10	-5		\$ 4.25
500	lbs. (4	bags	5-10-5)		16.00
2,000	lbs. (16	bags	5-10-5)	Price on ap	plication



Color Magic - Dwarf Marigold

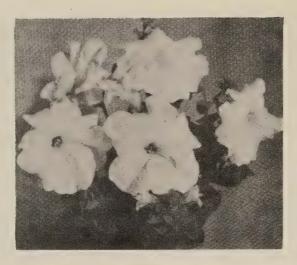
# Burpee's Flower Seeds

#### **ANNUAL**

One Pkt. Mixed Flower Garden Seed given with every dollar's worth of flower seed ordered. Ask for it.

	Hower seed ordered. 7th io			
No.		Pkt.	⅓Oz.	1/4Oz.
1502	AGERATUM. Blue Cap. 6 in. Finest for border.	A 15	# 05	A. 50
	Blooms all summer. A true dwarf Ageratum	\$.15	\$.85	\$1.50
	AGERATUM. Blue Perfection. Deep blue. 9 in	.10	.40	.70
4002	ALYSSUM; Sweet. Tetra Snowdrift Burpee's newest			
	and best. 10 in. A hybrid of good substance	.15	.75	1.40
1521	ALYSSUM. Carpet of Snow. 4 inches. Compact	.10	.30	.50
1522	ALYSSUM. Violet Queen. 5 inches. Fragrant	.10	.30	.50
1523	ALYSSUM. Royal Carpet. New. Low, spreading.			
	Violet Purple. The very newest border plant	.25	.75	
1576	ANTIRRHINUM. Giant Ruffled Tetra Snaps. Extra			
	large blooms. A superfine mixture. New Hybrid	.25	1.75	
2265	ANTIRRHINUM. New Rust Resistant Giant Snap-			
	dragons. Many colors mixed. 2 to 3 ft. tall	.15	.80	
3008	ANTIRRHINUM. Super Majestic Semi-Tall Snap-			
	dragons. 11/2 ft. Mixed colors.	.15	1.00	
4764	SPECIAL SNAPDRAGON COLLECTION.			
	5 Giant Ruffled Tetra Snapdragons. 5 separate colors			
	for \$1,00.			
1566	ARCTOTIS. Blue eyed African Daisy. Silvery flowers,			
	sky-blue eye. Beautiful. 2 ft	.15	1.00	
3290	ASTER. American Beauty. 7 colors mixed. 2 ft.			
	Wilt resistant. Early strain	.15	.65	1.20
1663	ASTER BURPEEANA EXTRA EARLY. All colors mixed			
	2 weeks before other kinds.	.35	1.25	

No.		Pk+	1/8Oz.	1/407.
	ASTER. Crego Giant mixture. Large flowers. Petals	1 11.	7802.	7402.
	curled. 7 colors. 2 ft. Wilt resistant	\$.15	\$.60	\$1.20
3052	ASTER. Giant Branching. Very large flowers. Mixed.	15	FO	1.00
4798	8 shades. Wilt resistant. Late. 2 ft. ASTER COLLECTION. Giant Fluffy. Burpee's newest	.15	.50	1.00
1,7,0	and best . pkt. of each of the 5 best colors. The			
	collection — \$1.00			
1759	BALSAM. Lady Slipper. Double Camellia flowered.		0.5	40
2774	All colors. 2 ft. BLUE LACE FLOWER. Fine for cutting. 11/2 ft.	.10	.25	.40
2//-	Blooms all Summer	.10	.50	.90
1807	CALENDULA. Double mixed. Giant flowering	.10	.25	.45
1785	CALENDULA. Orange Giant. Double. Rich orange		0.5	45
1734	Large blooms, long stems	.10	.25	.45
1/37	blooming. One of the best.	.10	.25	.45
1574	CALLIOPSIS. All double. Mixed. 3ft. Yellow	.10	.25	.45
	CALIFORNIA POPPY. Sunset mixture. All of the			
	best kinds. Blooms till Fall. I ft. Single	.10	.20	.35
2065	CALIFORNIA POPPY. Sweetheart. New Double.			
0014	Rich rose and cream. Dwarf	.10	.35	.60
2014	CALIFORNIA POPPY. Double mixed. Very large	.10	.25	.45
1810	CANDYTUFT. Giant Hyacinth Flowered. Finest white. Needs sun. 12 inches	.10	.25	.40
1830	CANDYTUFT. Mixed. 12 in. 5 colors	.10	.25	.40
	CARNATION. Marguerites. Finest mixed. Early		.20	
	flowering. Large. Fragrant	.15	.75	
1912	COCKSCOMB. Empress. Rich purple red flowers.			
	Large combs, purple leaves. 10 in.	.15	.50	
	CENTAUREA. Double Cornflower. Special Mixture.	.10	.30	.50
	CENTAUREA. Blue Boy. Very best blue	.10	.30	.50
1903	CHRYSANTHEMUM. Double Coronarium. Fine for cutting. Mixed colors	.10	.35	.70
1942	COSMOS. Early, single, large flowering. Mixed	.10	.40	.75
	COSMOS. Crimson Scarlet. Different	.15	.70	./3
	COSMOS. Burpee's Yellow. 3 ft. New. Early	.15	.60	1.00
	COSMOS. Burpee's Sensation. New, early giants			
	Mixed colors. Best for cutting. 4 ft. tall	.15	.60	1.00
1895	CYNOGLOSSUM. Firmament. Chinese Forget-			
	me-not. Likes hot, dry location. Indigo Blue	.15	.45	
1953	DAHLIA. Large flowered double. Mixed colors.	٥٢	1.05	
1005	Best for cutting. 3-5 ft.	.25	1.25	
1700	DIANTHUS. Mixed. Double. Dwarf Carnation-like flowers. Sweet scented. 6 in. Fine for border	.15	.60	
2058	EUPHORBIA. Snow on the Mountain. Makes a fine	*		
2000	show in the Fall. 3-4 ft.	.10	.40	.75
2086	GAILLARDIA. Gaiety Mixture. Fine for cutting	.10	.30	.50
	GOURDS. Ornamental. Mixed. All varieties	.10	.15	.25
2093	GYPSOPHILA. Annual Baby's Breath. Rose	.10	.30	.50
1929	GYPSOPHILA. King of the Market. Annual. White.		0.6	
0044	Large flowers. Sow often. 2 ft. Early	.10	.30	.50
2846	HELICHRYSUM. Strawflower. Special Mixture.	.10	.40	75
	Makes a beautiful Winter bouquet,	.10	.40	.75



Popcorn Petunia. The New Dwarf White

ANNUAL FLOWER SEEDS — Continued					
No.		1/8Oz.	1/4Oz.		
2119 KOCHIA or BURNING BUSH. Giant Christma Green bushes turning red in the Fall	\$.10	\$.15	\$.25		
2153 LARKSPUR. Giant Imperial. Double. Delphinium flowered. 3 ft. Burpee's Special Mixture. Fine for	m				
cutting	15	.35	.65		
2107 LARKSPUR. New Giant Steeplechase. Double flow ers. Largest of all. Heat resistant	25	.75	* 1.40		
2135 LARKSPUR. Burpee Wonder. Mixed colors. Bas branching. Beautiful. 3 ft.		•, -			
branching. Beautiful. 3 ft.	15	<b>.6</b> 5	1.00		
4812 LARKSPUR COLLECTION. I pkt. each of 5 colo of Burpee's New Steeplechase. The collection — \$	1.00				
2143 LOBELIA. Mrs. Clibran Imp. Compact border plan	t.	00			
Deep blue flowers with white eye		.80			
yellow. 3 ft. Large Chrysanthemum flowered	15	.80	1.30		
2193 MARIGOLD. Tetra. Burpee's new Carnation flow		.70	1.20		
ered. Fine. 2 ft. Deep orange Hybrid		./0	1.20		
in. blooms. Sulphur yellow. 21/2 ft.	15	.60	1.00		
2177 MARIGOLD. Marigolds on Parade. All kinds an		.80	1.50		
colors, a wonderful display		.00	1,50		
red. Bushy. 10-12 in. Largest of the French sort	s .35				
2304 MARIGOLD. Spry. Dwarf yellow and mahogan Double French Marigold. 9 in. Fine for border	y. 10	.50	.90		
2352 MARIGOLD. Flash. Dwarf French Single. Mixe		.35	.90		
2164 MARIGOLD. Yellow Pygmy. French. 6 in. hig					
Lemon Yellow. Best for border. Compact		.40	.75		
ers. 6 to 8 in.		.60	1.00		
2279 MARIGOLD. Sunny. Bright yellow single flower		/ 0	1.00		
12 in	10	.60	1.00		

ANTIONE LEGITER SEEDS — COMM	ucu		
No.		⅓0z.	
2219 MIGNONETTE. Red Monarch. Deep red	\$.10	\$.40	\$.70
2226 MIGNONETTE. White Pearl. The very best white			
Large sweet scented trusses		.30	.50
2232 MIGNONETTE. FORDHOOK FINEST MIXED.	Α	20	
mixture of the very best kinds	10	.30	.50
2354 NASTURTIUM. Burpee's Gorgeous Dwarf Mixe Per Oz., 25c; 1/4 Lb., 90c		.10	.15
3110 NASTURTIUM. Fordhook Favorites. Burpee's be		.10	.13
mixture. Tall. Oz., 25c; 1/4 Lb., 90c	10	.10	.15
2331 NASTURTIUM. Burpee's Double. New. Semi-ta		• • • •	
Mixed colors. Oz., 30c; 1/4 Lb., \$1.00		.10	.15
2330 NASTURTIUM. Dwarf Giants. Mixed. Doub			
Sweet scented, beautiful. Per Oz., \$.30		.10	.15
2328 NASTURTIUM. Golden Gleam. Golden Yello			
Sweet scented. Per Oz., \$.30		.10	.15
2513 PANSY. Burpee's Blend of Giant and Fancy type	es.		
Unsurpassed. Waved petals. Mixed			
2570 PETUNIA. Balcony mixed. All colors. Best mixtu for window boxes, 11/2 ft.	ire 15	1.00	
2539 PETUNIA. Elk's Purple. This is the finest single de		1.00	
purple. Extra large flowers. Dwarf	3C	7.50	
2538 PETUNIA. Rose of Heaven. Rich rose colored. Co			
tinuous bloomer. Dwarf. Compact. Select strain		.80	
2560 PETUNIA. Rosy Morn. Pink, white throat. Choice		.80	
2502 PETUNIA. Blue Wonder. Cornflower blue. Lar			
flowered bedding or balcony type		1.00	
2415 PETUNIA. Blue Bird. Dwarf. Deep blue violet		.90	
2559 PETUNIA. Snowball Improved. White dwarf			
bedding. Profuse, blooms all Summer			
2395 PETUNIA. Fire Chief. Scarlet red. Compact		)	
2588 PETUNIA. Burpee's Special Mixture. A beaut			
blend. Dwarf bedding or Nana Compacta		1.50	
4710 PETUNIA. Popcorn, the new dwarf white. La flowers and very compact.		;	
2581 PHLOX. Drummondi. Tall mixed. Fordhook Fine			
All the best colors		.60	1.00
2575 PHLOX. Compact. Dwarf mixed. 6 in.			1.50
2630 POPPY. Double Shirley Hybrids. Beautiful			.35
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2618 POPPY. Imp. Single Shirley. Finest mixed		.20	.35
2659 PORTULACA. Double mixed. Brilliant mixtu	ire.		1.00
Fine for Rock Gardens			1.00
2652 PORTULACA. Single mixed. Burpee's finest		3 .45	.80
2669 RICINUS or CASTOR OIL BEAN. Mixed. Or	na-		
mental. Plant a few in your lawn and garden to ke	eep		10
Ground Moles away. Óz., 35			.10
265! SCARIOSA. Pin Cushion Flower. Giant Impe		10	/ 5
Hybrids. Fine for cutting: 3 ft.			
2624 SCABIOSA. Heavenly Blue. The finest of all. 2ft.	10	0 .40	.65
2677 SALPIGLOSSIS. Velvet Flowers. Mixed colors.			
ft. Fine for cutting		0 .40	.75



Burpees Ruffled Giant Sweet Pea

# BURPEE'S SWEET PEAS NONE BETTER

	NONE BELLEK			
No.		Į.	/4 Oz.	Oz.
	SWEET PEAS. Burpee Blend. Burpee's best mixtu of all colors and shades. Long stems. 1/4Lb., \$1.50		\$.15	\$.40
3598	SWEET PEAS. Giant Ruffled Mixture. Frilled arruffled. Beautiful large blooms. 1/4 Lb., \$1.70		.15	.50
3601	SWEET PEAS. Cuthbertson Floribunda. Heat-resistant long stems, vigorous vines, Many flowers to the stem	n.	.15	.40
4728	SWEET PEA COLLECTION. 6 Giant Ruffled Bea ties. The choicest collection to be found. 1 pkt. each of 6 colors, \$1.00.	u-		
4814	SWEET PEA COLLECTION. Six Giant Heat Resista Sweet Peas. They bloom all through July. 6 color l pkt. of each color. \$1.00.			
		Pkt.	1/8Oz.	1/4Oz.
	SALVIA. America. Early flowering, very profuse blooming. About $11/2$ ft. high	\$.20	\$.90	\$1.75
2684	SALVIA. Bonfire. Brilliant scarlet spikes stand clear from the dark green foliage. 2 ft	.20	.90	1.75
2730	STOCKS. Dwarf 10 weeks. Mixed. Fine for bed-	10		
2050	ding. Early flowering. 18 in.	.10	.50	.90
	STOCKS. Giant Imperial. Mixed colors. 15 in	.15	.70	1.25
2/65	SUNFLOWER. Double Chrysanthemum flowered. Fine for border or hedge. 6 ft. Per Oz., 60c	.10	.10	.20
1065	SUNFLOWER. Large Russian. The largest of all.			****
2700	Per Oz., 20c; per 1/4 Lb., 30c; per Lb., 75c			.10
2/80	VERBENA. Giant Mixed. Fine for Borders, Boxes and Beds. Everblooming	.10	.50	.90
	VERBENA. Separate colors. Ask for them	.10	.50	.90

#### **BURPEE'S ZINNIAS**

No.	Pkt.	1/8Oz.	1/4Oz.
2925 ZINNIA. Dahlia Flowered. Large blooms. 3 ft. Burpee's Best Mixture. Per Oz., \$2.90	\$.20	\$.50	\$.90
3175 ZINNIA. Burpee's Super Giant mixture. Largest of all. 3 ft. Per Oz., \$2.50	.20	.50	.90
2832 ZINNIA. Burpee Giant Hybrid. Finest of all Zinnias. Mixed colors. New ruffled type. Per Oz., \$2.50	.20	.50	.90
3026 ZINNIA. Cut-and-Come-Again. Special Mixture. All light shades. Fine for cutting. Per Oz., \$2.50	.20	.50	.90
2815 ZINNIA. Lilliput. Small pompoms. Burpee's Special Mixture. 1½ ft. tall. For border and cutting. Per Oz., \$2.50	.20	.50	00
7543 ZINNIA COLLECTION. 5 Giant Dahlia Flowered. I pkt. of each of the five best colors for 75c.	.20	.50	.90
2781 ANNUAL FLOWER GARDEN. A mixture of showy Annuals, both tall and dwarf. Sow where you want			
them to bloom. Per Oz., 50c	.10	.15	.25

## Perennial Flower Seeds

Perennial Flower Seeds may be sown in February or March indoors and transplanted. If sown where you want them later and thinned out they will bloom the following year. If you want them to surely bloom this year, buy our Perennial Plants listed on pages 28, 29 and 30.

Best quality seeds from Burpee.

No.		Pkt.	1/8 Oz.
370	6 ALYSSUM. Saxatile. Basket of Gold. Early	\$.10	\$.50
371	O ANCHUSA. Italica Dropmore. 3 ft. Deep blue	.10	.30
	5 AQUILEGIA or COLUMBINE. Long Spurred Hybrids		
	Beautiful. Many colors. Burpee's best	.25	1.50
372	6 BELLIS or ENGLISH DAISY. Early double mixed	.20	90
374	I CAMPANULA. Cup and Saucer Canterbury Bells. Mixed		
	colors. Beautiful biennials. 2 ft.	.10	.50
	3 CAMPANULA. Bellflowers. Single mixed. 4 colors	.10	.40
373	4 CAMPANULA. Burpee's Best Double Mixed	.10	.40
375	6 CARNATION. Chabaud's Giants. Mixed. One of the		
	most beautiful of all Hardy Pinks. Fragrant	.20	.90
376	3 CENTAUREA MONTANA. Hardy Cornflower. Blue.		
	Blooms in June, July and August	.10	.30
377	O DAISY, Shasta. Alaska. Large blooms. 2-3 ft.	.10	.50
408	O DELPHINIUM BELLAMOSUM. Rich, deep blue	.15	1.00
377	4 DELPHINIUM BELLADONNA IMP. Light blue	.15	1.00
408			
	blooms of exquisite color. A blend of white and all shades		
	of blue, violet and lavender. 4 ft.	.30	2.00
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Cutchogue, Oct. 9.

The Zinnias I bought from you last Spring were out of this world. They were the most gorgeous ones I ever saw. - Mrs. B.

#### PERENNIAL SEEDS - Continued

No.		Pkt.	1/8 Oz.
3781 DIANT	HUS ALLWOODI. Double, semi-double and single.	\$.20	\$1.00
Everblo	coming. Sweet, mixed Garden Pinks. I ft.	φ.20	\$1.00
3794 FOXG	OVE or DIGITALIS. Giant Shirley. Beautiful, tall mixed colors. 5 ft.	.10	.70
spikes,	ARDIA. Dazzler. Large, crimson and yellow	.10	.50
ANAO CYPSO	OPHILA. Snowball. Fine for bouquets. Double	.15	1.00
3807 GYPS	OPHILA. Single Baby's Breath. Beautiful	.10	.80
3822 HOLL	MOCKS. Double mixed. Very beautiful. 6 ft	.10	50
3828 HOLL	THOCKS. Single. Mixed. Very fine. 6 ft.	.10	.25
3950 LUPIN	ES. Improved Hybrids. Many colors mixed	.10	.40
3899 LUPIN	ES. Russell Hybrids. Re-selected. Beautiful	.15	.50
2070 MYOS	OTIS or FORGET-ME-NOT. Alpestris. Royal blue.	.15	.95
	ITAL POPPY. Shades of scarlet and red. 2-3 tt	.15	.90
3993 POPPY	. Nudicaule. Exquisite Mixed Iceland Poppies	.15	.75
3870 PYRET	HRUM. Painted Daisies. Rose, pink, red and white.		1.00
Early.	Single, Mixed	.15	1.00
38/3 KODRI	CKIA PURPUREA. Blooms in July and August.	.15	1.90
Purplis	h daisy-like flowers. Fine for cutting	.15	.90
	WILLIAM, Giant Double Mixed. All colors	.15	.80
	WILLIAM. Single. Mixed. Choice	.15	.75
3879 STATE	CE. Latifolia. Purplish blue flowers. Everlasting	.15	.50
4027 TRITO	MA. Early Hybrids. Various colored spikes	.15	.75
4084 VIOLA	CORNUTA. Mixed colors. Everblooming	.25	1.25
3895 MIXED	PEREN'NIALS. All kinds mixed. Sow thick where		
you w	ant them. A fine mixture	.10	.25
,			
	CLIMBING FLOWERS AND VINES		

No.	Pkt.	1/4 Oz.	Oz.
2986 MOONFLOWER. Giant. Pink. Beautiful	\$.10	\$.25	\$.80
2963 MORNING GLORY. Scarlet O'Hara. Red	.15	.30	1.00
2988 MORNING GLORY. Pearly Gates. Large, white	.15	.30	1.00
2987 MORNING GLORY. Heavenly Blue Improved. Ear	ly .10	.35	.80
3028 MORNING GLORY. Giant Mixed. Large	.10	15	.50
3030 MIXED VINE SEEDS. Will make a quick cover	.10	.15	.40

#### **GERANIUMS**

We have a fine assortment of Potted Geraniums this year. Large, strong plants in bud and bloom.

BETTER TIMES. Beautiful dark red. Very striking.

IRVINGTON BEAUTY. Fine clear pink. Most popular.

LA FAVORITE. Double white.

New Suffolk, N. Y., January 10, 1956

My Petunias were beautiful last year. People came from all around to see them and take pictures. I bought the plants from you. — J. Z.

#### GERANIUMS — Continued



MRS. LAWRENCE. Clear Pink.

MARTHA WASHINGTON or PELAR-GONIUM. 4 colors.

PANSY. Purple and white pansy-like blooms.

PINK FIAT. Bright salmon pink.

PINK OLYMPIC. A new compact pink. RADIO RED. Bright red. Good bloomer.

S. A. NUTT. Rich dark crimson.

RED OLYMPIC. Large blossoms. A good red.

A Well Budded Geranium

VARIEGATED. Green and white leaves. Red blossoms. IVY. A trailing Geranium with red and pink blossoms.

Priced at 50c to \$1.50 each, \$5.00 to \$7.00 per dozen, according to size and variety. Pelargoniums in several shades of pink, red, and white, also Pansy Geraniums, from \$1.00 to \$2.50 each, in full bloom for Easter.

#### FLOWERING PLANTS - ANNUAL

Grown from the Best Seed obtainable. See Flower Seeds for scriptions. Transplanted, well-rooted plants. Price per flat at 10	furth	er de- s; fla+
to be returned.	Doz.	100
ALYSSUM, Carpet of Snow and Royal Carpet	\$.70	\$5.00
ASTER. Crego Giants. Wilt Resistant. Mixed or separate colors	.70	5.00
ASTER. Burpeeana. Extra Early. New	.70	5.00
AGERATUM. Blue Cap and Perfection. Good for borders	.70	5.00
AGERATUM. New deep blue. In flats from cuttings	1.00	0.00
BLUE LACE FLOWER. Lavender Biue. 11/2 ft.	.70	5.00
CALENDULA. Orange, yellow and mixed	.70	5.00
COSMOS. Large. Early. Single mixed and yellow	.60	4.50
CENTAUREA. Double Cornflower. Blue or mixed	.70	5.00
CARNATION and DIANTHUS. Best mixtures	.70	5.00
GAILLARDIA. Double. Mixed colors	.70	5.00
LARKSPUR. Burpee Wonder. Mixed colors	.70	5.00
LARKSPUR. Giant Steeplechase. Mixed and separate colors	.70	5.00
	.70	5.00
LOBELIA. Mrs. Clibran Imp. and Gracilis	.70	5.00
MARIGOLD. Tetra and Marigolds on Parade	.70	5.00
MARIGOLD. Mammoth Mum and Goldilocks	.70	5.00
MARIGOLD. Dwarf French. Yellow Pygmy, Spry, Flash, Sunny	./0	5.00
PANSY. Beautiful giant blooms. Large plants. Mixed or separate	1 00	7.50
colors. Per basket of 6 plants, 50c	1.00	7.50
PETUNIA. A fine assortment of the best for beds, window boxes		
and border. Rosy Morn, Rose of Heaven, Fire Chief, Flam-	70	F 00
ing Velvet, Cream Star, Elk's Pride and many others	.70	5.00
PETUNIA. All double mixed and many other double varieties in		
Pink, White and Purple. 10c each	1.00	7 50
PETUNIA. The new Comanche, Popcorn, Crusader, and many	70	F 00
others	.70	5.00
PETUNIA. Brilliancy, Fire Dance, LaPoloma Rosita; Tango and		7.50
White Queen.	1.00	7.50
PHLOX DRUMMONDI. Dwarf. mixed colors	.70	5.00
SALPIGLOSSIS or VELVET FLOWER. Mixed	.70	5.00
SCABIOSA. Pin Cushion Flower. Heavenly Blue and Mixed	.70	
SNAPDRAGONS. Burpee's Superfine Tetra, Tall Giant, and		
Semi-tall mixed. Rust Resistant Strains. Best for cutting.		
Separate colors in Tall Giants	.70	5.00



Pansy Bed Starting to Bloom

ANNUAL DIANTS Continued		
ANNUAL PLANTS — Continued	Doz.	100
SALVIA. AMERICA. Free blooming. Fine for border. 11/2 ft	\$.70	\$5.00
SALVIA. BONFIRE. Compact bush, scarlet flowers. 2 ft.	.70	5.00
STOCKS. Dwarf Double. 10 weeks. Mixed colors	.70	
STRAWFLOWERS or EVERLASTINGS. Finest mixed	.70	
TORENIA. Fournieri. Blue Flowers	.70	
VERBENA. Giant Flowered. Blue, lavender, red, salmon pink. All the best kinds. Separate colors and mixed	.70	5.00
ZINNIA. Burpee's Super Giants, Dahlia Flowered, and Burpee's	.70	5.00
Hybrids. Separate colors in Dahlia Flowered variety	./0	5.00
ZINNIA. Cut-and-Come-Again, Persian Carpet, and Lilliput.	.70	5.00
Attitute of the series and many more Annual	Flower	Plants

Will have a full supply of all the above and many more Annual Flower Plants. Come and look our supply over. We are trying out many new kinds and varieties. Flower Plants by Parcel Post: Add 30 cents per doz. 40 cents per 2 doz. to above prices if youwant your plants sent by Parcel Post.

#### PERENNIAL PLANTS

Our plants are best for your Hardy Border or your Rock Garden. They are grown from the choicest seed procurable and the most popular sorts. Take care of them and they will bloom for many years. Dig the bed deep, enrich with dry cow manure, keep clean and give protection in Winter. Nice plants, transplanted, well rooted. Top dress with Bone Meal, Sheep Manure or Vigoro. Mulch with Peat Moss.

Trial of the control	Each	Doz.
ANCHUSA. Italica Dropmore. Blue flowers. 3 to 5 ft.	\$.50	\$5.00
AJUGA. Genevensis. Good ground cover. Dense spikes of blue		
flowers in May and June	.50	5.50
AQUILEGIA. McKenna Giants. The new prize winning columbine	.50	
AQUILEGIA. Columbine. Long Spurred Hybrids. Mixed and		
separate colors of blue, yellow, pink, crimson, white	.50	5.00
AQUILEGIA. Hybrids. Large clumps, 75c to \$1.50.		
ARABIS. Rock cress. White. For Rock gardens	.50	5.00

Cutchogue, October 12, I want to tell you what beautiful zinnias I had from the pkt. of seed that I purchased from you this spring. Some of them even had two colors to one blossom. — Miss J. H.

#### PERENNIAL PLANTS — Continued

	Each	Doz.
ALYSSUM. Saxatile. Basket of Gold. Does well in sunny positions. Fine for Rock Gardens  BELLIS. Perennis. English Daisy. Red, pink and	\$.50	\$5.00
white	.10	1.00
Mixed. Fragrant	.50	5.00
Aguilegia, Long Spurred Hybrid nial nial	.40	4.00
CAMPANULA CAPATICA BLUE. Hare Bell. Beautiful	.50	5.00
CENTAUREA. Montana. Perennial Cornflower. 2 ft. Blue	.50	5.00
CHIVES. Very ornamental, and for seasoning	.50 .50	5.00
DAISY SHASTA. Double and semi-double. Extra Large Flowers	.50	5.00
DICENTRA. Spectabilis. Bleeding Hearts. Beautiful	1.00	
DIANTHUS. Dwarf mixed. Fine for border. Fragrant	.50	5.00
colors	.50	6.00
FOXGLOVE or DIGITALIS. Giant Shirley. Mixed	.40	4.00
tips with crimson centers. Large clumps, \$1.00	.50	5.00
plants. The best Baby's Breath grown	1.00	
HEMEROCALLIS. Day lilies. Single and double .Yellow and orange. Many choice varieties. Large clumps, 50c to \$2.00	1.00	
HEUCHERA. Coral Bells. Red and pale pink. Beautiful	.50	5.00
HIBISCUS, Large mallows, Mixed colors	.50	5.00
HOLLYHOCK. Single. All colors mixed. Large clumps \$1.00 IBERIS. Hardy Candytuft. White. Excellent for rock gardens	.50 .50	5.00
LAVENDULA VERA. English Lavender. 18 in. Fragrant	.50	5.00
LINUM. Pirene. Graceful blue flower.	.50	5.00
LUPINES. White, rose and blue, mixed colors	.50	5.00
LYTHRUM. Roseum Superbum. Shades of pink spikes	.50	
MYOSOTIS. Alpestris. Blue Forget-me-nots. Biennial	.35 .50	3.50 5.00
PANSY. Clark's Special Giants. Red, white, blue, yellow, pink	.10	1.00
PANSY. Maple Leaf, and many other varieties	.10	1.00
PAPAVER. Oriental Poppy. Red, salmon red and pink	.50 .50	5.00
to \$1.00 PLUMBAGO. Deep blue flowers in late Summer. 6 in	.50 .50	5.00

#### PERENNIAL PLANTS — Continued

	Each	Doz.
PRIMULA. English and Colossal Strains. Many choice colors.  Large clumps, \$1.00  PYRETHRUM. Painted Daisies. Mixed and red  PYRETHRUM. Double. Mixed colors  SAGE. Use leaves for seasoning	\$.50 .50 .50 .50	\$5.00 5.00 5.00
SCABIOSA. Caucasica. Soft lavender. Likes sun. Blooms June to Sept.	.50	5.00
STOKESIA. Cornflower Aster. Steel blue	.50	5.00
SWEET WILLIAM. Mixed colors. Single and double	.50	5.00
SWEET WILLIAM. Newport Pink and Scarlet	.50	5.00
THYME. Aromatic	.50	5.00
VERONICA. Spicata. Blue spikes. July	.50	5.00
VALERIANA RUBRA. Red flowers in July	.50	5.00
VALERIANA. Officianalis. White. Very fragrant	.50	5.00
VIOLA. Red, blue, white, apricot, golden yellow and mixed.		
Long flowering, pansy-like blooms	.10	1.00
Extra large clumps of some varieties at higher prices. Postage	on Pere	ennials,

Extra large clumps of some varieties at higher prices. Postage on Perennials, 45c per doz. extra on small plants.



#### Double Camelia Flowered Tuberous Rooted Begonias

#### TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS

Rose, Orange Crimson, Scarlet, Yellow and White, separate colors or mixed.

Large bulbs. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.80.

#### **GLOXINIAS**

DEFIANCE. Scarlet.
EMPEROR FREDERICK. Scarlet bordered white.
EMPEROR WILLIAM. Violet bordered white.
ETOILE de FEU. Light scarlet.
MT. BLANC. Clear white.

Large bulbs, 50c each; 3 for \$1.35; 12 for \$4.90. Separate colors or mixed.

#### **CUT FLOWERS**

We strive to have a good assortment of Cut Flowers always on hand or can get them at short notice. Carnations, Roses, Daffodils, Tulips, Iris, Sweet Peas, Snapdragons, Gladioli, Chrysanthemums, etc., in season.

WEDDING BOUQUETS

We have furnished many weddings with their Bridal Bouquets, Shower Bouquets, Bridesmaids' and Maid of Honor Bouquets, Corsages and all the extras. Boutonnieres are always furnished gratis with wedding bouquets.

## FUNERAL SPRAYS, WREATHS, PILLOWS, CROSSES, HEARTS

We are prepared to arrange any kind you might desire. Our prices are reasonable and we deliver if you wish. We guarantee satisfaction.

Flowers from the STERLING Flower Shop are a Mark of Distinction and your Satisfaction is Assured. We have received many words of appreciation for our floral arrangements.



#### HARDY CHRYSANTHEMUMS

32 of the choicest varieties in pots or plants.

ADMIRAL. Dark red. Oct. 5th. ARLORA. Beautiful large fully double, bright lemon. Oct. 10 BETTY. Pink with rose center. Tall. Sept. 28. CAROLINE YOSICK, Deep lavender pompom. Oct. 5th COMMANDER. Best large red. Oct. 10th. COURAGEOUS. Dark ruby red. Oct. 5th. FREYA. Large deep yellow. New. Oct. 1st. GRENADA. Finest white pompom. Oct. 8th. IRENE. Finest white pompom. Oct. 10th. JOYEFF. Large, deep pink. Tall. Oot. 10th. JUDITH ANDERSON. Golden yellow pompom. Oct. 15. LASSIE. Large, deep pink. New Oct. 10th. MAYFLOWER. Soft luminous pink. New. Oct. 1st. NANCY COPELAND, Red with gold tipped petals, Oct. 10th ORSONA. Reddish bronze pompom. Sept. 20. PINK RADIANCE. Beautiful salmon pink. Oct. 3rd. PINK SURPRISE. Lavender pink. Beautiful. Oct. 5th. POLAR ICE. Large white, golden center. Oct. 1st. RED VELVET. Dark crimson. Large. Oct. 5th. ROSITA. Salmon pink pompom. Sept. 28th. ROSE SPOON. Petals are quilled. Different. Oct. 10th. SYMPHONY. Pink and gold. Tall. Oct. 10th. WHITE CLOUD. White with gold center. Sept. 25th. WHITE WONDER. White pompom. Oct. 10th. YELLOW AVALANCH. Large, light yellow. Sept. 25th. YELLOW SPOON. Artistic spoon type. Oct. 10th.

#### CUSHION OR AZALEAMUMS

BENORA CUSHION. Pure white. New. CHAMPION CUSHION. Deep bronze. Sept. 25th. GOLDEN CUSHION. Golden yellow. Sept. 15th. MAJOR CUSHION, Salmon pink. Sept. 25th. ROUGE CUSHION. Bright red. New. Sept. 25th. YELLOW CUSHION. Light yellow. Sept. 15th.

Spring prices: 40c each. 12 for \$4.00. All the above prices are at the farm. Postage: 30c per plant, 50c per doz. extra. Select your colors in the Fall. Price in the Fall \$1.00 to \$2.00 per clump.

#### GLADIOLUS BULBS

Our selection of 30 of the best Gladiolus for Long Island.



AUREOLE. Heavily ruffled, light yellow. BARBARA JANE. Clear, orchid lavender, BEAUTY'S BLUSH. Fine, tall blush pink. BLUE BEAUTY. A very fine blue. Tall. BOUTON D'OR. Clear yellow. CAPEHEART. Beautiful, Salmon rose. DIEPPE. Fine Ruffled scarlet. DOROTHY ARMSTRONG. One of the best, deep purple. EDITH CAVE COLE. Soft, light pink. ELIZABETH THE QUEEN. Tall, ruffled, lavender. FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE. A new white. Beautiful. INVICTUS. Blush white, red throat. Early. LADY ANNE. Lustrous creamy white. LAVENDER LACE. Large, ruffled lavender. LEADING LADY. Large white. MAGNOLIA. Arbutus pink. MARGARET BEATON. Large white with red blotch. MARILYN. Bright shrimp pink. Fine. MARSHALL MONTGOMERY. Deep, velvety red. MODERN TIMES. Deep, rosy wine.
MYSTIC. Variegated pink with smoky overtone.
PHANTOM BEAUTY. Beautiful, light pink. RED CHERRY. Tall, Light red. Early. SNOW PRINCESS. Tall, creamy white, Fine. STRAWBERRY PEACH. Ruffled peach. Beautiful. VARIATION. Tall, cool shell pink.
VICTORY QUEEN. Clear, rich ruffled salmon.
WHITE GODDESS. Ruffled white. WHITE GOLD. Very large, cream white. YANGTZE. Clear deep yellow.

Extra large bulbs at 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen, \$2.50 per 2 dozen. We keep each kind separate and correctly labeled when you order the named varieties. This is a beautiful assortment of large top size bulbs.

STERLING MIXTURE. A beautiful mixture of the above named kinds as well as other choice varieties. Large bulbs. Per dozen, \$1.25; per 100, \$7.00.

You are invited to come and look our fields over when in bloom. Cut flowers sold in season.

Our bulbs are treated with DDT to prevent attack from Thrip.

#### TO CONTROL THRIP ON YOUR GLADIOLUS

Dust with 3-7 DUST, 3 per cent DDT and 7 per cent Copper. I lb. can 45c; 5 lb. bag, \$1.25.

OR

Spray with ISOTOX GARDEN SPRAY containing LINDANE. MALATHION and D. D. D., 4 oz. bottle, \$1.00; 8 oz. bottle, \$1.55; 16 oz. \$2.95



A Field of Gladiolus

#### **CANNAS**

All priced at 15c each, \$1.50 per doz.

APRICOT. Shades of apricot. Beautiful. CITY OF PORTLAND. Deep pink. Green foliage. 4ft.
ROSAMOND COLES. Scarlet with gold edge. Beautiful. 4 ft.
THE PRESIDENT. Large, bright red flowers, with green foliage. The best red. 4 ft.
KING MIDAS. Very large blossoms. Deep yellow.

#### IRIS - Tall Bearded

Part of our assortment of the best Iris for 1956.

BERKLEY GOLD. Tall shining gold. CALIFORNIA GOLD. Beautiful yellow. CHINA MAID. 40 in. Largest pink. CRYSTAL BEAUTY. 50 in. Largest snow white. FRIEDA MOHR. Deep pink. Extra large blooms. Tall. FLORA ZENOR. Cameo pink. MATULA. Brilliant rose with soft orange and buff shadings. MELITZA. 40 in. Ivory pink with pinkish tangerine beard. MME. LOUIS AUREAU. 36 in. Bluish lavender. ORDER OF THE PURPLE. 44 in. Violet and blue. SEPTEMBER SKIES. Clear purple. TREASURE ISLAND. Ruffled deep yellow. VENUS DE MILO. Pure white.

Single rhizome at 60c each. Large clumps at \$1.00 to \$2.50 each.

KAEMPFERI. Japanese Iris. Blooms after other Iris are through. Purple, blue and white. Each 75c; per dozen, \$7.50.

SIBERIAN. White and blue. Late. Narrow foliage. Per clump, 60c to \$2.50.

## Dahlias



#### DAHLIA TUBERS

#### 12 OF THE BEST LARGE AND CACTUS FLOWERED DAHLIAS

DEEP VELVET. Large, deep maroon. 60c each
EDGAR GUEST. Fine large yellow Cactus. 50c each
FLORISTS BEAUTY. Deep red, tipped white. 40c each
HER GRACE. True pink Cactus, fine. 50c each
JERSEY'S BEAUTY. Large pink. One of the best. 40c each
KENTUCKY. Large, salmon orange. 40c each
LADY IN RED. Beautiful bright red Cactus. 50c each
MICHIGAN WHITE. Large, pure white Cactus. 40c each
RONNIE LEE. Deep red, edged gold. 60c each
VICTORY. Pink and silver Cactus. 40c each
WHITE KING. Pure white cutflower. 40c each

#### **PEONIES**

EDULIS SUPERBA. Early, brilliant pink.
FESTIVA MAXIMA. Large white. Early. Red blotch in center.
KARL ROSENFELD. Rich crimson.
RICHARD CARVEL. Early. bright crimson. \$1.50 Each.
SARAH BERNHARDT. Large, deep pink. Late.

2 yr. plants, \$1.00 each. Large clumps of different kinds and colors at \$2.00 to \$5.00 each, at the farm.



# HYBRID TEA ROSES IN POTS

Two-year-old No. I healthy plants, potted and fertilized, all ready to grow and bloom. The hybrid tea roses bloom in June and every month throughout the Summer and Fall.

AUTUMN. Very double. Burnt orange, yellow and red.

CONDESSA DE SASTAGO. Copper and rich gold with red.

COUNTESS VANDAL. Copper, bronze and pink.

CRIMSON GLORY. Finest deep red. Fragrant.

ETOILE DE HOLLANDE. One of the best reds. Large double.

ECLIPSE. Clear yellow. Long slender buds.

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI. Largest white. Vigorous. Hybrid Perpetual.

K. A. VICTORIA. Beautiful white. Foliage rich green.

PICTURE. Beautiful deep pink.

PINK RADIANCE. Large clear pink. Vigorous.

McGREDY'S YELLOW. Bright buttercup yellow. Large.

PRES. HERBERT HOOVER. Orange, flame and gold. Vigorous.

TALISMAN. Scarlet and gold. Fine.

SIGNORA. Beautiful. Pink and vellow bicolor.

Price of the above in pots; \$1.50 each.

# SUBZERO HYBRID TEA ROSES IN POTS

A new breed of roses, long-lived, healthy and hardy.

BREAK O'DAY. Orange to apricot. Very fragrant and vigorous. LILY PONS. Large white. Yellow center. Beautiful.

QUEEN O THE LAKES. Deep velvety crimson. Wonderful form. RED DUCHESS. Rose red. Wonderful foliage. No spot. Fragrant.

V FOR VICTORY. Large double yellow rose. Fragrant.

Prices of the above in Pots; \$1.90 each.

Bridgehampton, June 1953

I set 2 Blaze Roses out last year and I have never seen such vivid beauty in such short a time. They nearly cover a 6½ ft. arbor already. — Mrs. S. E.





Floribundas — Used as entrance planting or effectively along a walk

PATENTED HYBRID TEA ROSES IN POTS	Fach				
The second secon	\$2.00				
CAPISTRANO. Pat. No. 922 Deep glowing rose pink.	2.50				
CHRYSLER IMPERIAL. Pat. No. 1167 Velvety maroon red.  DIAMOND JUBILEE. Pat. No. 824 Large long lasting orange.	2.00				
ENCHANTMENT. Pat. No 737 Large peach pink, Vigorous.	2.00				
GLACIER. Pat. No. 1025. A new white. Floribunda	2.25				
GOLDEN MASTERPIECE. Pat No. 1284 Enormous golden yellow	2.75				
HELEN TRAUBLE. Pat. No. 1028 Light pink to apricot.	2.50				
K. T. MARSHALL. Pat. No. 607 Beautiful clear pink.	1.75				
KONRAD ADENAER. Pat. No. A. F. Large dark red. Healthy.	2.50				
MARY MARGARET McBRIDE. Pat. No. 537 Coral pink and gold	1.75				
MIRANDY. Pat. No. 632 Deep rich dark red. Huge.	2.25				
MISSION BELLS. Pat. No. 923 Large salmon pink. New.	2.00				
MOJAVE. Pat. A. F. Apricot orange. Vigorous.	2.75				
NEW YORKER. Pat. No. 823 Finest glowing red. Beautiful.	2.00				
PEACE. Pat. No. 591 Large yellow with pink edge. Healthy foliage	2.50				
PRESIDENT EISENHOWER. Pat. Large rich rose red. New.					
PAGEANT. Pat. No. 1252 Golden yellow bud. Red turning pink.					
QUEEN ELIZABETH. Pat. No. 1259 Huge exquisite. Rose pink.					
SUTTER'S GOLD. Pat. No. 885 Old gold and copper. Beautiful	2.25				
CLIMBING ROSES					
In Cloverset Pots.	Each				
ALOHA. No. 948. New. Very large pink blooms	\$2.50				
BLAZE. The most popular red climber	1.50				
CRIMSON GLORY. No. 736. Vigorous red climber	2.50				
ETOILE DE HOLLANDE. Deep red climber	1.50				
GLADIATOR. Large glowing red. Everblooming	2.75				
GOLDEN CLIMBER. Long deep yellow buds	1.90				
GOLDILOCKS. No. 1090. Everblooming yellow clusters	1.50				
NEW DAWN. Flesh pink. Vigorous and hardy	1.50				
PRES. HERBERT HOOVER. Pink, copper and gold	1.50				
TALISMAN. A beautiful bicolor climber	1.50				
WHITE DAWN. Beautiful large white.	1.50				
WITHE DITTITE DEautiful large willie.	1.00				

# FLORIBUNDA ROSES

IZ best kinds in cloverset pots	
•	Each
BETTY PRIOR. Pat. No. 340 Single clear pink. Everblooming.	\$1.50
CIRCUS. Pat. No. 1382 Multicolor. Red, yellow & pink.	2.50
EASTER PARADE. Pat. No. A. P. A novelty. Yellow, orange and red	2.00
FASHION. Pat. No. 789 Coral overlaid with gold.	2.00
GOLDEN FLEECE. Pat. A. F. Golden bud, canary yellow flower	2.50
GOLDILOCKS. Pat No. 672 Beautiful yellow clusters	1.50
JIMINY CRICKET. Pat. No. A. F. Red buds, coral pink flower.	2.50
LILLIBET. Pat. No. 1209 Rose pink. Fragrant. New.	2.00
MA PERKINS. Pat No. 1143 Pink and yellow clusters. Vigorous	2.00
MASQUERADE. Pat. No. 975 Red, yellow and pink on same bush	2.00
PINOCCHIO. Pat. No. 484 Salmon pink. Everblooming.	1.50
RED PINOCCHIO. Pat. No. 812 Crimson, fragrant and healthy	1.50
VOGUE. Pat. No. 926 Large cherry red blooms. Beautiful	2.00
SPARTON. Pat. No. 1382 Newest. Orange red. Robust.	2.75
WHITE PINOCCHIO. Pat No. 1010 Large clusters, pure white.	1.50

# HARDY PHLOX

(T) Tall (M) Medium (L) Low

# One of the Best Summer Blooming Perennials.

CHAS. CURTIS. (T). Bright scarlet. The best red.

ELIZABETH ARDEN. Large flowered soft pink. Beautiful.

FIDELIO. (M). White tinted pink with distinct red eye.

MARIE LOUISE. (M). Most popular white.

MISS COPYN. Clear pink with carmine Eye. Massive clusters.

MISS LINGARD. (T). Best early white. Long blooming season.

SIR JOHN FALSTAFF. (T) Very large heads .Salmon Pink.

TENOR. (M) Large heads of rich rose red.

WHITE ADMIRAL. Pure white. New.

The above at 60c each; \$6.00 per dozen. Large clumps at \$1.20 each.

# PHLOX SUBLATA OR MOSS PINK

ATROPURPUREA. Rich Wine Red. Best red. EMERALD CUSHION. Pure pink. Long blooming season. WHITE DELIGHT. Large flowers on bright green foliage.

50c Per Clump.

The Crimson Glory rose bush that I bought from you last Spring bloomed all Summer and is still blooming. It is one of the finest rose bushes that I ever have seen. — S. W.

Southold, L. I., Dec. 4

The rose bushes I bought from you last Spring were wonderful. They grew and blossomed freely up to a week ago.

My neighbor sent away for his rose bushes, gave me four of them and three of them died. — A. H. W.

# CLIMBING VINES AND GROUND COVERS

# For outside planting

Tor ourside planning		
AMPELOPSIS VEICHII, or Boston Ivy. The best for chimneys.  Beautiful color in the Fall		Each \$.75
ENGLISH IVY. Hahn's self branching. Hardy	.50 t	to 2.50
PACHYSANDRA. JAPANESE SPURGE. One of the best ground covers. Bright green leaves. Per doz., \$1.50		.15
POTTED VINES FOR WINDOW BOXES		
VARIEGATED VINCA. Green and white leaves. One of the best	Each	Doz.
for Window Boxes. 3 in. pots	\$.50	\$5.00
ICE PINK. Trailing vine, pink flowers. 3 in. pots.	.50	5.00
TRAILING LOBELIA. Blue flowers. In pots	.50	5.00
PHILODENDRON. The best indoor vine. 85c to \$1.50 each.	.50	5.00
4 in. pots and larger of all the above at higher price	s.	
BEDDING PLANTS		
We will have a large supply of Bedding Plants, such as below most suitable for this section.	v. Best	kinds
AGERATUM. Dwarf blue. In flats, Each, 10c; per doz., 70c.		

AGERATUM in pots. Dwarf dark blue. 20c to 50c each.

AGERATUM. Dwarf dark blue from cuttings, 10c each, \$1.00 per doz.

FUCHSIAS. A fine assortment. \$1.00 to \$2.50 each.

HELIOTROPE. Very fragrant. 85c. to \$2.50 each.

LANTANAS. Four of the best and showiest kinds. 4-in. pots, 70c each; \$7.00 per doz.

# HARDY LILIES

# In pots ready to grow and bloom.

LILIUM RUBRUM. White suffused with pink, spotted red	\$.100
SPECIOSUM ALBUM. Beautiful white with green throat.	1.50
LILIUM REGALE. The beautiful Regal Lily	.80
AURATUM. The golden banded lily of Japan.	1.00

Bayport, N. Y., July 13, 1955

I bought 75 Strawberry Plants from you last year and we picked 25 quarts of Berries from them. The 25 Asparagus roots I bought are growing fine too. — W. C.

# **PLANT DEPARTMENT**



One of our Strawberry beds for 1956.

# STRAWBERRY PLANTS

My Strawberry Plants for 1956 are ALL raised from Virus Free Stock. We sprayed them and kept them free from insects and disease and they made a nice, healthy growth with large crowns and good healthy roots. Come look our stock over.

Try a few of the new kinds, especially EMPIRE 10 varieties listed in order of ripening

v.	25	100	300	1000
PREMIER. Early. Heavy yielding	\$ .75	2.50	6.00	18.00
FAIRFAX. Best quality. Large, firm sweet.	.75	2.50	6.00	18.00
MIDLAND. Good quality, fine for freezing	.75	2.50	6.00	18.00
BELMAR. Attractive color, good flavor.	.75	2.50		
CATSKILL. A fine large berry for market.	.75	2.50	6.00	18.00
EMPIRE. New large. Fine quality.	.75	2.50	6.00	18.00
POCAHONTAS. Vivid red, large. New	.75	2.50		
SPARKLE. Fine quality, heavy yield.	.75	2.50	6.00	18.00
AROBINSON. Large. Have a good supply	.75	2.50	6.00	18.00
VERMILION. Productive, new	.75	2.50		

All the above are grown from Virus Free plants on fresh ground We found in our trials last year that the varieties grown from Virus Free stock was the heaviest yielding of all the kinds that we had.

All of the above kinds have perfect blossoms and can be set alone if desired, but it is better to have 2 or 3 kinds for cross polinization.

Postage on Strawberry Plants: Add 31c per 25; 45c per 100 and 90c per 300 to above prices.

No Strawberry Plants Dug in August, September or October.

# RED RASPBERRY PLANTS

LATHAM. Mid-season, good quality, large berries. Long season. Per doz., \$2.00; per 100, \$13.50

NEWBURGH. Mid-season. A red raspberry of superior merit. It is of fine quality, productive, and holds its size through a long season. Per doz.,

\$2.00; per 100, \$13.50 NDIAN SUMMER. The best Fall bearing raspberry. Dark red, prolific and large, Per doz., \$2.00; per 100, \$13.50.

# BLACK CAP RASPBERRRY PLANTS

CUMBERLAND. Disease resistant. Hardy and prolific. Largest late Black Cap, holding its size through a long season. I-yr. old plants, \$2.00 per doz.

# **BLACKBERRY PLANTS**

EBONY KING. A new upright Blackberry. Very sweet and prolific. Early. Heavy I-yr. No. I plants for 35c each, \$3.50 per doz.

# HORSE RADISH

MALINAR KREN. Best kind. Per doz., \$1.00.

# RHUBARB ROOTS

MC DONALD. A new Red Rhubarb. Needs less sugar. Low acidity. Fine quality. Each, 60c; per doz., \$6.00.

If you want Raspberry and Blackberry Plants, Horse Radish and Rhubarb Roots sent by Parcel Post, add 40c to above prices for 1 doz.; 55c for 2 doz. on Long Island.

# **GRAPE VINES**

The 5 best kinds.	
AGAWAM. Large, early, red. Very sweet.	.80
* CATAWBA. Late, pink, sweet	.80
CONCORD. Most popular purple. September	.80
NIAGARA. White. Late. Good quality	.80
PORTLAND. New white. Sweet. Extra early	1.00
Larger vines in some of the above kinds, \$1.50 to \$2.00 each.	
Add 31 cents extra for one vine sent by P. P.; 50 cents for three.	

### **CURRANTS**

RED LAKE. Large, light red berries in long, well-filled clusters. Excellent quality. 2-yr. No. I bushes, 60c each; \$6.00 per doz.

# **BLUEBERRY BUSHES** 5 of the best varieties

CABOT. Early. Good quality. Large berries. CONCORD. Mid-season. Upright. Large clusters.

JERSEY. Late. Upright. Large firm berries.

RUBEL. Late. Best pollenizer. Large, sweet berries.

RANCOCAS. Mid-season. Tall. One of the best. Prolific.

2-yr.-old plants, balled and burlapped, \$1.75 each; \$16.50 for 10 plants assorted. Larger plants in some varieties, \$2.50 to \$7.50 each, according to size.

Set in acid soil. Use plenty of Peat Moss and aluminum sulphate.

# SPRING BLOOMING BULBS TULIPS, NARCISSUS, HYACINTHS, CROCUS, ETC.

We expect to have a good supply of Spring flowering bulbs in the Fall, and will be pleased to book your orders for Fall delivery. Prices will be right for No. I sure blooming bulbs. Will have a nice display in the Spring of flowering bulbs in bloom. Come look them over. Will have Potted Hyacinth and Tulip bulbs in full bloom for Easter.



Our field of I yr. old Mary Washington and California "500" Asparagus

# **ASPARAGUS ROOTS**

Our Asparagus Roots are nice, large, healthy roots grown under irrigation from re-selected seed and will make you a successful bed in 1 to 2 yrs. time.

MARY WASHINGTON. One of the largest, most productive and finest flavored Asparagus yet developed. Very high branching, which makes it the best for cutting green. Rust-resistant.	Doz	. 100	1,000
One year old roots. Large roots.	\$.40	\$2.50	\$15.00
Two year old roots. Ready to cut in 1957	.60	2.90	17.50
Four year old roots. Ready to cut this year if set early. Very large crowns	.80	3.50	22.50

5 thousand or more I year old roots, Mary Washington @ \$12.50 per thousand.

Set out our Sterling Grown Roots this year, about six inches below the surface of the ground, cover with two inches of soil. As the plants grow up, fill trench with well-rotted manure and more soil, and some good fertilizer on top of that. Do not put fertilizer next to any kind of root or plant if you want them to live. Set your Asparagus Roots out as early in the Spring as possible.

Postage on Asparagus Roots: Please send 30c per doz., 40c per 2 doz., 50c per 100 on 1 yr. old roots. Double that for 2 yr. old roots.

Setauket, N. Y., March 30, 1955

I bought some 2 year old Mary Washington Asparagus roots from you two years ago and they grew fine. I cut from them last year and they have made wonderful growth.

A. P.



# Cold Frame and Hot Bed Plants

# TOMATO PLANTS

Ready in May and June

Transplanted, well-hardened plants. All my plants are grown from Certified Seed or selected stock from the best growers.

The number of days for each kind to ripen is from Livingston's and my own Trial Grounds, from time of setting in the field.

BONNY BEST. Very productive. Éarly. Globe shaped. 57 days. BREAK O'DAY. Extra early. Wilt resistant. 58 days.

GOLDEN PONDEROSA. Large yellow. Sweet. 82 days. JUBILEE. Burpee's new yellow. Fine. Globe shaped. 72 days.

MARGLOBE. Disease resistant. Large. Best for main crop. Grown from cert-

ified seed. 60 days. OLD TOWN. Extra large and prolific. Earliest. 55 days.

PONDEROSA. Improved strain. Very large, fine flavored and mild. Best for slicing. Few seeds. Certified. 84 days.
PRITCHARD or SCARLET TOPPER. Early. Wilt resistant. 60 days.

RED CHERRY. Smallest, round.

RUTGERS GLOBE. Large. Disease resistant. Cert. 60 days.

STOKESDALE. Heavy yielding. Early. Certified. 58 days. YELLOW PLUM. Small fruit for preserves.

All the above kinds at one price. 40c per doz.; 4 doz. for \$1.50; \$2.80 per 100. Ask for price by the 1,000.

# HYBRID TOMATOES

These are larger, better colored, thicker fieshed and more prolific than standard varieties. They are also more blight resistant and stand up better under adverse weather conditions.

BURPEE'S BIG EARLY. 62 days. New. Earliest Hybrid. Large size.

BIG BOY. Largest tomato of all excepting Ponderosa. Mid-season. 78 days. BURPEE HYBRID. Most prolific tomato of all. 70 days.

STOKESCROSS. NO. 4. An F2 hybrid of great vigor. Large, solid highly flavor-

ed fruit. 10 days earlier than Rutgers.

STOKESCROSS. NO. 5. Another F2 hybrid with a long harvest season. A very heavy producer. Both of our Stokescross hybrids are practically crack free, very solid, and best for canning.

Hybrids at 75c per doz. from the flat. \$1.00 per doz. in vita-bands.

Add 30c per doz.; 39c per 2 doz.; and 55c per 100 to your order if you want them by Parcel Post.

West Granby, Conn. It doesn't seem quite like late Winter — almost Spring — this year without your catalog. I enjoy this contact with Cutchogue, and we like to order most of our seeds from you because they always do so well. — Mrs. J. H. C.

# CABBAGE PLANTS Transplanted, Well Rooted Plants in Flats

EXTRA EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD. Pointed heads EARLY CHARLESTON WAKEFIELD. Large pointed heads GOLDEN ACRE. Earliest Round Head COPENHAGEN MARKET. Early round head. Fine EARLY SUMMER or ALL SEASON. Large flat heads. Late	Doz. 100 \$.30 \$1.80 .30 1.80 .30 1.80 .30 1.80 .30 1.80
ONION PLANTS	
SWEET SPANISH. Rerooted from Georgia	Doz. 100 20 .80
LETTUCE PLANTS Transplanted, Large, Well Rooted Plants. Sure Headin	g.
GREAT LAKES. One of the best for hot weather IMPERIAL NO. 847. Large, solid heads. Early, fine flavor NEW YORK NO. 12. The largest of all NEW YORK NO. 515. Best for late planting. Large heads MIGNONETTE. Small, early. Very sweet Postage on Cabbage and Lettuce Plants: 30c per 1 doz., 40 50c per 100.	Doz. 100 \$.30 \$1.80 .30 1.80 .30 1.80 .30 1.80 .30 1.80 c per 2 doz.,
EGG PLANTS Transplanted, Well Rooted and Hardened  BURPEE'S BLACK BEAUTY, Large, early, prolific	Doz. Doz. \$.40 \$1.50 .75
PEPPER PLANTS Well Hardened. Strong Plants	
CALIFORNIA WONDER. Flesh thick, sweet. Large	.40 2.80 .40 2.80 .40 2.80 .40 2.80
SWEET POTATO PLANTS  Ready last of May and in June. Expect to have a good supp	ly in season
WHITE HAYMAN. New. Very productive and good winter keeper MARYLAND GOLDEN. Golden skin and flesh. Fine PORTO RICO YAM. Large, fine for baking CORANGE GOLD LITTLE STEM JERSEY. Quality  Price per 1,000, \$12.50. 500 or more at 1,000 rates.  Add 30 cents per dozen; 39 cents per 100, if you want them so Post.	30 1.80 30 1.80 30 1.80

# **CELERY PLANTS** landad Wall Pooted Plants

Transplanted, Well Rooted Flams	Doz.	100
WHITE PLUME. Earliest self-blanching	\$.30	\$1.80
GOLDEN PLUME. Fine for second early		1.80
SUMMER PASCAL. Very sweet and tender		1.80
FORDHOOK or EMPEROR. Best for main crop	7 2 2	1.80
GIANT PASCAL. Tall Winter. Fine nutty flavor		1.80
WINTER OHEEN Stocky very large crisp	.30	1.80
Add 30 cents per dozen; 43 cents per 100 and 25 cents for eac	h add	itional
100 if you want them sent by Parcel Post.		
Keep your celery dusted with Bordo or 3-7 Dust to prevent Cele	ry Bli	ght.

# Field Grown Plants

# **BRUSSELS SPROUT PLANTS**

Plants are raised on fresh ground from hot water to	reated	seed.	
	Doz.	100	1,000
BLUE RIBBON STRAIN. A very choice strain	\$.25	\$1.00	\$6.00
RED FEATHER STRAIN. Early , hard and shiny	.25	1.00	6.00
Price by the thousand liable to change, depending on	the sea	ason.	

# **BROCCOLI PLANTS**

Plants grow	n from	hot	water	treated	seed.
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	Doz.	100	1,000
BROCCOLI. Green Sprouting, or Calabrese. This is an			
extra early strain producing a fine head	\$.25	\$1.00	\$6.00

# **CAULIFLOWER PLANTS**

# Plants raised on fresh, disease-free ground from hot water treated seed.

	Doz.	100	1,000
LARGE EARLY ERFURT. Large, snow-white heads. One			
of the best for main crop. Sure heading. From our			
Holland seed, the best strain for Long Island	\$.25	\$1.00	\$6.00
Price by the thousand liable to change without notice.	·		
Use our Cubor Dust for Cabbage Worms and Loope	rs and	our 3-	7 Dust
for Aphis, Thrip and Blight.			

# CABBAGE PLANTS

# Plants are grown from choicest seed procurable. The seed is treated with Semesan for Black Stem.

	Doz.	100	1,000
COPENHAGEN MARKET. Early, round heads	\$.25	\$1.00	\$6.00
CHAS. WAKEFIELD. Large, pointed heads			6.00
ALL SEASON or EARLY FLAT DUTCH. Large, flat	.25	1.00	6.00
SAVOY. Curled. Best quality	.25	1.00	6.00
LARGE LATE DRUMHEAD. Largest heads	. 25	1.00	6.00
LATE FLAT DUTCH. Solid, large heads	.25	1.00	6.00
PENN STATE BALLHEAD. Fine. Hard heads. Large ,	.25	1.00	6.00
EARLY RED. A sure heading strain of red cabbage	.25	1.00	6.00
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If you want any of the Brussels Sprouts, Broccoli, Cauliflower or Cabbage Plants listed above sent by Parcel Post, add 30 cents per dozen; 43 cents per 100 and 25 cents for each additional 100 to the above prices.

# INSECTICIDES, SPRAY MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES

# AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS



# ARSENATE OF LEAD

Chipman Brand Arsenate of Lead. This is one of the best kinds, very fine, sticks well on the foliage and kills the bugs clean and quick. Also used on lawns for Japanese Beetle-Grubs.

		r	er Lb.
-1	lb.	pkg_sig	\$.60
		pkg	.40
C	ase	of twelve 4-lb. pkgs. — 48 lbs. Ask for price	

### ORTHO LAWN- GARDEN DIELDREN GRANULES

Contains Dieldren and Lindane, the most effective control of Japanese Beetles, Cutworms and other enemies in our lawns and gardens.

-1	lb.	canister	<u> </u>	00.1
5	lb.	canister	3	3.95

# LIQUID LIME SULPHUR

Ì	qt.		\$.75
-1	gal.	can	2.44

### DRY LIME SULPHUR

One of the best remedies for Leaf Curl and most all of the Fungus Disorders. Mix 1 lb. to 3 gals. of water for dormant spray, 5 lbs. to 50 gals. for a good Summer spray.

			Per Lb.
1	lb.	can	 \$.60
5	lb.	car	.45

# SPRAY CATALIZER

Spray Catalizer is one of the very best spreaders for Lime Sulphur, Arsenate of Lead and other poison sprays. Per 2-lb. pkg., \$.90.

## FINE GROUND SULPHUR

For dusting Potatoes, spraying and spreading on the land for Potato Scab, dusting Evergreens for Red Spider, etc.

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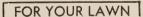
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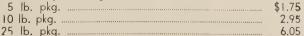


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